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HIYA EVERYONE! HOW ARE YA? WE HOPE YOU'RE ENJOYING "WISH TO LIE BESIDE YOU!!

HOW HAPPY WE ARE WHENEVER WE RELEASE A NEW CHAPTER! HOWEVER ~~~ WE CAN'T RELEASE TOO OFTEN...BECAUSE WE REALLY LACK EDITORS AND CHINESE/JAPANESE TRANSLATORS! WE HAVE BUNCH OF RAWS IN OUR STORAGE WHICH HAVE BEEN LYING THERE FOREVER. MOST OF THEM ARE GREAT SERIES THAT ARE NOT RELEASED ANYWHERE. WE'D LOVE TO RELEASE THEM FOR YOU. BUT WHO KNOWS WHEN...?

PLEASE HELP US! REALLY. JUST A BIT OF CONTRIBUTION WILL EARN YOU THE TOP PRIVILEGE TO EVERYTHING IN OUR GROUP! IF YOU'RE INTERESTED, STAFF@ENDLESSDIMENSION.COM.NET WILL ALWAYS BE THERE FOR YOU TO SPAM, LOL

LOVE, ED STAFF

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WISH TO LIE BESIDE YOU
Chapter 1
BY YOUR SIDE

PU
RU
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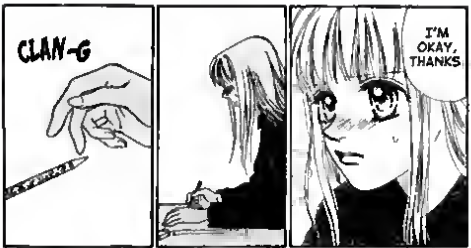
COUGH!
COUGH!
COUGH
COUGH

*A STUDENT ID

THIS ID
FALLS
THANKS!
SO THIS PERSON IS TAKING THE SAME UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE AS ME
HERE
COUGH!
COUGH!
COUGH!
COUGH!
TOMORROW IS OUR EXAM DATE! IS HE GOING TO BE OKAY LIKE THIS?

COUGH!
NEXT DAY.
TOUDO UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAM
COUGH! COUGH!
AND I HAVE ANOTHER ENTRANCE EXAM TOMORROW, TOO!
DAMMIT—!
DAMN!
IF I FIND THAT #400 GUY, I'LL SLAP HIM ON THE FACE!
ON THE NEXT DAY, AT THE 2ND EXAM—
YOU DON'T LOOK WELL, ARE YOU OKAY?



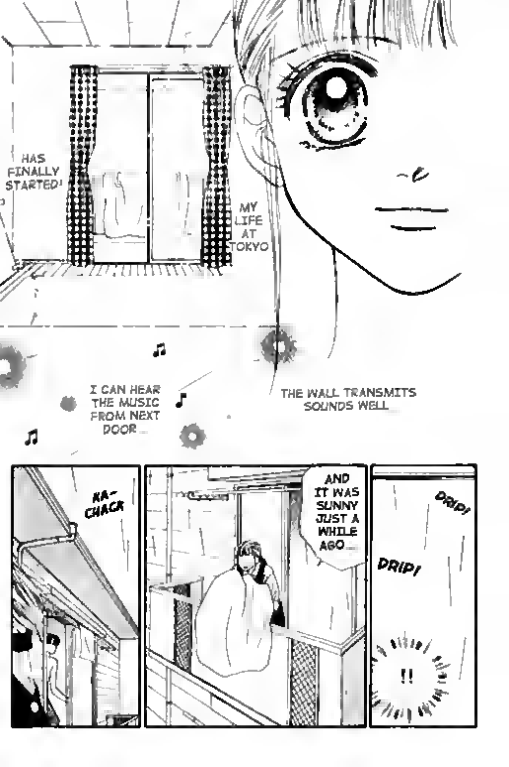
—SHOOT! THE FEVER IS STOPPING MY BRAIN FROM FUNCTIONING,

AHH IF THAT GUY DIDN'T SIT BESIDE ME IN THE BULLET TRAIN,

NONE OF THIS WOULD HAVE HAPPENED

PU RU RU RU
HELLO
AH, MOM!
REALLY? OK THEN...
OH, HAVE YOU GREETED ANY OF YOUR NEIGHBOURS?
NOT YET...
KAZUKI, ARE YOU DOING WELL?
WANT ME TO GO OVER AND HELP YOU?
NO, IT'S OK! I'VE ALMOST DONE PACKING.

PI!
OK OK, I WILL!
DON'T WORRY TOO MUCH. BYE!
MAKE SURE YOU GET ALONG WITH OTHERS
KAZUKI, YOU LOOK SMART BUT SOMETIMES YOU CAN BE REALLY SLOW..


HAS FINALLY STARTED!
MY LIFE AT TOKYO
I CAN HEAR THE MUSIC FROM NEXT DOOR...
THE WALL TRANSMITS SOUNDS WELL...
KA-CHACK
AND IT WAS SUNNY JUST A WHILE AGO...
DRIP!
DRIP!
!!

ARG
I'M MINA-MOTO, I JUST MOVED HERE
H—HELLO
I'VE SEEN THIS GUY SOMEWHERE
??
OH YES PLEASE HOLD ON!
I'M HIROSE.

WOW, THANKS
THIS IS JUST A SMALL SOUVENIR, PLEASE ACCEPT IT HERE.
"THANKS!"
STUDENT ID #400!!
AHHHHH!
AH—
AH—
AHHH—

—AHH, YOU'RE THE GIRL FROM THE BULLET TRAIN
WHAT A COINCI-DENCE, DID YOU GET IN TO TOUDO U?
I FAILED
OH?
THEN, YOU'RE RE-TAKING THE EXAM NEXT YEAR?
APRRR!
HACK— CHOOO!
EEE?
GUESS I GOT A COLD
ACHOO!

JUST A FEW STEPS I GOT THIS MUCH?
CHAT
CHAT
CHAT
TENNIS CLUB
SUPER ANYONE LIKE SHIZUKU
NOT YET
DID YOU DECIDE ON A CLUB?
ME NEITHER
THERE'S TOO MANY!
MORNING~
FROM OUR CLASS HOW'S SHE CALLED AGAIN
IT'S KAYAMA!
MINA-MOTO-SAN GOOD MORNING!
MOVIE, HUH I'M NOT TOO INTE-RESTED
IT'S NOT LIKE WE HAVE TO JOIN
MINA-MOTO-SAN WANNA GO?
LET'S GO TOGETHER!
WE HAVE A WELCOME PARTY FOR THE NEWBIES WANNA COME?
HELLO! WE'RE FROM THE MOVIE CLUB PLEASE JOIN US!

KA-CHACK!
IS IT HERE?
!!
N— NOTHING!
WHAT'S WRONG?
PLEASE TAKE A SEAT
...I ONLY FAILED MY TOP PRIORITY SCHOOL
SO WE'RE IN THE SAME SCHOOL! I THOUGHT YOU FAILED?
SITS
HUH?

NO-THING
HUH?
YOU WANNA SAY SOME-THING?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "SO THAT'S WHY"!?
WHOSE FAULT DO YOU THINK IT IS!?
TO ALL 1ST YEAR STUDENTS WELCOME TO OUR UNIVERSITY!
HMM, SO THAT'S WHY
ANGRIER
I WAS SO RELIEVED!
YEAH, IT GOT WELL THE NEXT DAY
YOU HAD A BAD COLD BEFORE THE EXAM RIGHT? SEEMS LIKE IT DIDN'T AFFECT YOU AT ALL!
!!
AH, I'M JUST KIDDING
HMM.. IS THAT SO
IT'S SAID THAT IF OTHER PEOPLE GET YOUR COLD YOU'LL HEAL RIGHT AWAY I GUESS IT'S TRUE HUH?
BECAUSE I GOT THE COLD FROM YOU, I DIDN'T DO WELL ON MY 1ST EXAM AND I FAILED
I....

HUH
YOU COULD HAVE GONE TO A BETTER UNIVERSITY, BUT YOU WERE FORCED TO COME HERE EH?
IS THAT WHY YOU HAD THAT SCARY LOOK WHEN YOU CAME IN?
BANG!
WHISPERS
DONG!
SWALLOW
SWALLOW
SWALLOW

EXACTLY, BECAUSE I COULDN'T GET INTO THE SCHOOL I WANT, I WAS FORCED TO BE HERE.
BANG!
WOAH
WOAH
DID YOU HEAR WHAT SHE SAID?
KA-CHACK
SILENCE

EVEN THOUGH I COULDN'T GET INTO THE SCHOOL I WANT,
IT'S NOT LIKE THIS UNIVERSITY IS BAD
I SAID SOMETHING HORRIBLE OUT OF ANGER...
DEPRESSED
WHAT SHALL I DO
ISN'T IT BECAUSE YOU, THE VILLAIN, WERE SITTING BESIDE ME!?
ANGRY...!
"IS THAT WHY YOU HAD THAT SCARY LOOK WHEN YOU CAME IN?"
I HAVE TO GO BACK TO THE APARTMENT. I'M FREE IN THE EVENING.
AHH... BUT THEN

HE'S BACK.
AHH, THESE NOISES AGAIN
DONG
I'LL TAKE A SHOWER THEN...
HE SHOULDN'T HEAR THAT AT LEAST.
THAT MEANS HE CAN HEAR FROM MINE, TOO?
IF I CAN HEAR THE SOUND FROM HIS ROOM,
TOSS
KA-CHACK
AND TURN OFF THE VOLUME!?
STILL, CAN'T HE BE A BIT MORE CONSIDERATE
MAD
MAD
MAD
GRAB
HMPH!

DONG!
EXCUSE ME, WHAT DO YOU WANT?
ARG, TO LET HIM SEE A STUPID SCENE LIKE THIS!
GIGGLE

PUTS DOWN
THIS WAS SENT TO YOU YESTERDAY WHEN YOU WERE AWAY, I KEPT IT FOR YOU.
HUH?
HEY, YOU'RE NOT SCARED TO BE IN THIS ROOM ALONE?
—A MURDER.
YOU DON'T KNOW ABOUT HERE?
AH...?
IT WAS RUMOURED THAT THERE WAS A MURDER IN THIS ROOM,
AND THE ENTIRE PLACE WAS ONCE COVERED IN BLOOD.
YOU'RE KIDDING!
THIS KIND OF THINGS HAPPENS ALL THE TIME,
IT'S NOT LIKE IT WON'T HAPPEN IN THIS ROOM.

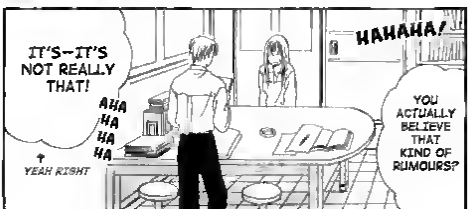
IF THAT'S IT, GET OUT PLEASE!
I'M NOT THAT EASILY SCARED!
DON'T COME IN SO CASUALLY!
OH...? SO DID I SCARE YOU?
!
I HOPE YOU DON'T REPEAT THE HISTORY HERE
SHOULDN'T YOU LOCK THE DOOR MORE SECURELY?
SHACK!
KA-CHICK!
PUSH!

THUMP
PU RU RU RU
YOU THINK I'LL BELIEVE YOUR STORY?
HELLO?
THAT SCARED ME! A PHONE CALL!
HELLO THIS IS MINA-MOTO
"THERE WAS A MURDER HERE ONE YEAR AGO"
HELLO?
PU RU RU RU
WRONG NUMBER?
WHAT THE ..?
?
PU!

KA-CHACK!
OH RIGHT!
W-WHAT SHOULD I DO?
PU RU RU RU
AHH!
!!
WHAT'S GOING ON?
THIS KIND OF PLACE...
I DON'T WANNA LIVE HERE!
THERE'S NOTHING FUN HERE!
I COULDN'T SLEEP AT ALL...
SIGH...

MORNING
KAYAMA-SAN, MORNING!
HMM, GUESS I'M HATED NOW
BECAUSE
I CAN'T REALLY SAY IT'S BECAUSE OF MY NEIGHBOUR...
WHY?
YOU WANT TO CHANGE YOUR APART-MENT?
3F
SIGN KATASE HOUSING LEASING * RENTING

WHO DID YOU HEAR IT FROM?
WHAT A LIE!
HA HA HA HA HA!
NO SUCH THING HAPPENED THERE!
A MURDER?
I HEARD THAT THERE WAS A MURDER IN THAT ROOM BEFORE...


IT'S--IT'S NOT REALLY THAT!
AHA HA HA HA
YEAH RIGHT
HAHAHA!
YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE THAT KIND OF RUMOURS?

I'LL GO SHOPPING BEFORE I GO HOME...
I KNEW IT...
"ANYWAY THE ECONOMY IS DOWN AND IT'S NOT THAT EASY TO FIND ANY APARTMENT NOWADAYS!"
PHEW...

HUH ? WHERE'S MY KEY?
LOOKS
TAKE OUT YOUR MONEY
CAN YOU STOP BOTHERING ME?
SO YOU FOUND OUT?
ARE YOU STUPID?
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
KEY
IF YOU MAKE ANY SOUND, YOU'RE DEAD!
WHERE IS MY KEY
LOOKS AROUND
DONG

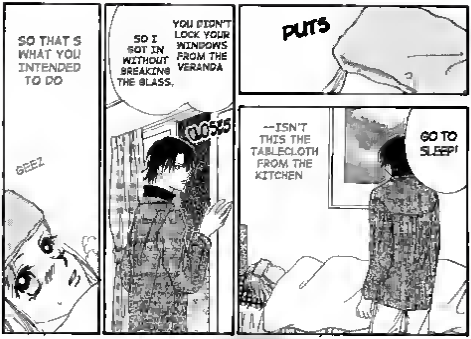
EXACTLY.
ARR
HE'S DOING THIS ON PURPOSE!
YOU LOST YOUR KEY?
—I CAN'T FIND IT.
CAN YOU TURN THAT MUSIC DOWN A BIT!?
LOUD MUSIC AGAIN
I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO TELL YOU SOME-THING
I WENT TO THE HOUSING AGENT AND THE SHOPPING MALL, AND STILL NO KEY.
NOT AT THE BUS STOP EITHER.
DEPRESSO!

OPENS
HEY!
SHUT
YOU STILL CAN'T FIND THE KEY?
COME OVER THEN.
NO THANKS
CLOSES
IS THAT SO?
I FEEL DIZZY...

SHA
AH!
SHA
YOU HAVE A FEVER!
DON'T PRETEND, JUST COME!
DRAG
I TOLD YOU I DON'T WANNA—
BAM

I DON'T WANNA GO INTO YOUR ROOM!
...I SEE.
PING!
CHA—CK

SHA—
KA-CHACK
OPENS
NOW YOU HAVE NO MORE COMPLAINTS, HUH?


SO THAT'S WHAT YOU INTENDED TO DO
GEEZ
SO I GOT IN WITHOUT BREAKING THE GLASS.
YOU DIDN'T LOCK YOUR WINDOWS FROM THE VERANDA
CLOSE
PUT'S
--ISN'T THIS THE TABLECLOTH FROM THE KITCHEN
GO TO SLEEP!

IF YOU DID THAT, WHO WOULD HAVE PAID FOR IT...

SFX: SITS UP
かばっ
SCHOOL?
SUA-
AHH!"
IT'S RAINING AGAIN
SUA-
WHATEVER! I'LL JUST SKIP TODAY!
FALLS
I ALREADY MISSED 1ST PERIOD!
10 O'CLOCK!"
—HORRIBLE PROGRAMS
PI!
SIGH...

BUT THEN YOU COULDN'T HEAR ME WHEN I HEARD YOU CLEARLY
OH YEAH, I CALLED YOU LAST TIME,
IS YOUR PHONE BROKEN?
HUH? KAZUKI? WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU WELL?
HELLO, MOM!
AH
HUH? IT WAS MOM WHO CALLED THAT TIME?
YEAH I'M OKAY, THANKS
OH REALLY? I'LL SEND YOU SOME MORE NEXT TIME!
JUST WANTED TO SAY THANKS
THEN I'LL HANG OFF
OKAY, SAY HI TO AUNTIE
THERE'S COMPANY?
WHISPER
IT'S KAZUKI'S CALL FROM TOKYO!
WHISPER
YOUR AUNT TAEKO IS HERE!
TICK
TICK
TICK
FALLS
SO THESE SILENT CALLS WERE FROM MOM...

KA-CHACK
DONG
HE'S BACK!
THIS SONG AGAIN
TICK
TICK
TICK
TICK

IS IT BECAUSE—
I CAN HEAR IT EVERYDAY?
SOMEHOW I FEEL THAT.
SHA-
SHA-
KA-CHACK
HEY, YOU DIDN'T LOCK IT AGAIN

WHAT DO YOU WANT NOW!
D-DON'T COME IN SO CASUAL-LY!
WHAT!
ARG
CAN YOU CLOSE YOUR MOUTH WHEN FALLING ASLEEP?
KA-CHACK
DONG
PORRIDGE WANT SOME?
...I'M REALLY SORRY,
YUMMY
TO LET YOU CATCH MY COLD RIGHT BEFORE THE EXAM

MORNING
MORNING
ACK SHOO!
THANKS TO YOU!
I FEEL MUCH BETTER NOW
SMILE
SO THIS TIME I GOT YOUR COLD!
SNEEZE
!!
SHOULDN'T YOU DRY YOUR UNDERWEARS INSIDE?
TO LIVE BESIDE HIM... LIKE THIS,
MIGHT NOT BE A BAD THING AT ALL.
"TO BE CONTINUED"

WISH TO LIE BESIDE YOU

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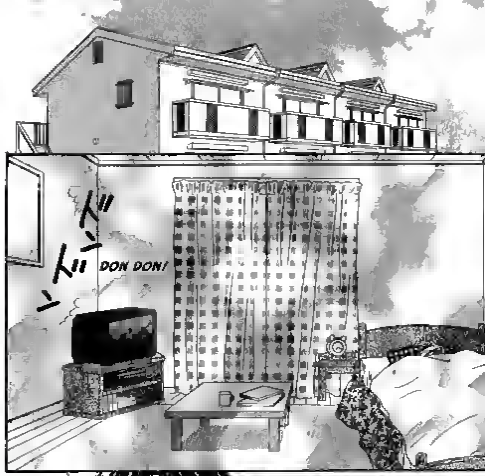

DON DON!

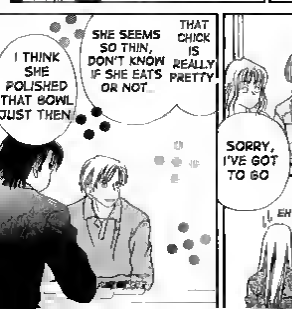
WHAT? YOU'RE STILL ASLEEP?
SFX: OPENS WINDOWS
CAN YOU PLEASE NOT WAKE PEOPLE UP LIKE THAT?
SFX: DON DON!
UH ...

I RAN OUT OF RUBBISH BAGS, THE REGULATION TYPE
TODAY'S RUBBISH COLLECTION DAY
YOU'RE UN-BELIEV-ABLE
WHAT DO YOU WANT, GETTING ME UP SO EARLY?
I DON'T START UNTIL SECOND PERIOD TODAY
YEAH, IT'S SHOIN'S MUSIC
HIROSE YOU CHANGED YOUR MUSIC
IT'S NOT WHAT YOU PLAYED BEFORE
THANKS
THERE
WILL YOU TAKE MY RASH DOWN ON YOUR WAY OUT?
NO WAY
HN'
GIVE BACK THOSE
S
HIROSE, WHO LIVES NEXT DOOR, ALWAYS LIKES TO PUT MUSIC ON
IT WAS BILLY JOEL BEFORE

MINA-MOTO KAZUKI-SAN
DO YOU WANT TO JOIN THE MOVIE CLUB?
AH?
I'M OOSHIMA TOMONARI FROM THE 3RD YEAR
WHEN I SAW YOU AT THE NEWBIES PARTY, I WANTED TO GET YOU TO JOIN
THAT NEW-BIES PARTY
YOU SAW ALL THAT?
GLUG
GLUG
GLUG
IT WAS ONLY BECAUSE I DIDN'T GET INTO MY FIRST CHOICE THAT I CAME TO THIS PLACE

I'M TRYING TO RECRUIT HER TO THE CLUB
HIROSE
WHAT ARE YOU TWO DISCUSSING?
BUT ABOUT THE MOVIE CLUB
NOT BAD...?
UHN EYE-CATCHING I THINK YOU'RE NOT BAD

WE'VE GOT SOME ACTIVITIES TOMORROW, DROP BY HQ AND HANG OUT
I CAN GIVE YOU A SPECIAL INTRODUCTION
THE MOVIE CLUB IS REALLY FUN...
EH? THEY KNOW EACH OTHER?

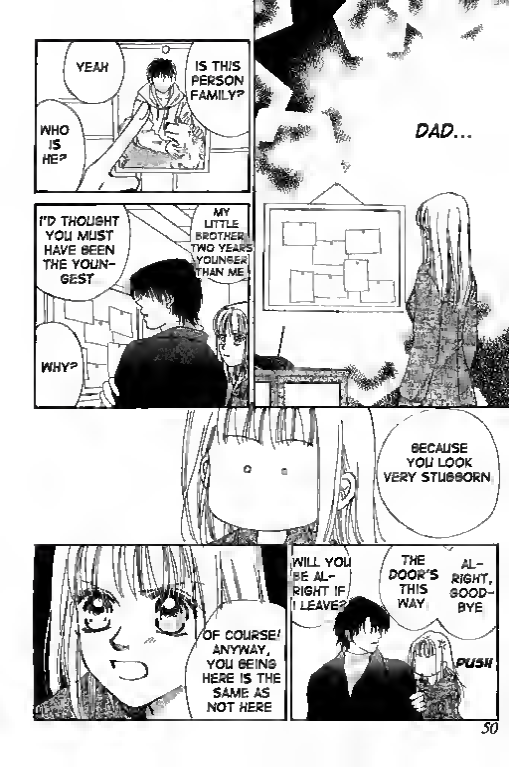

I THINK SHE POLISHED THAT BOWL JUST THEN
SHE SEEMS SO THIN, DON'T KNOW IF SHE EATS OR NOT
THAT CHICK IS REALLY PRETTY
WAIT A SEC CHIE I'M COMING TOO
KAZUKI-CHAN, WE'RE GOING NOW
SORRY, I'VE GOT TO GO
EH
ANYWAY YOU HAVEN'T JOINED ANY CLUBS YET
WHAT'S THE MATTER? JUST GO

AH.
UHN. WENT WITH CHIE AND THE OTHERS. YOU?
SHOPPING?
WATCHED A MOVIE
I'M STARVING. HAVEN'T EATEN SINCE LUNCH.
LET'S GRAB A BITE BEFORE WE GO BACK THEN.
ME TOO! BUT I GOTTA WAIT UNTIL I GET HOME AND COOK.
YOUR TREAT?
SFX: どーーん
DON!
I SPENT ALL MY SHOPPING MONEY.
WHY ME?!
ALRIGHT, I KNOW A PLACE THAT SERVES GREAT FOOD AND IS CHEAP AND FAST!

STARE
STARE
SNAP!
BON APPETITE!
BUT IT FELT A BIT WEIRD, A GIRL COMING HERE ALONE
AND NONE OF MY GIRLFRIENDS WANTED TO COME.
ACTUALLY, I'VE BEEN WANTING TO COME AND TRY THE FOOD HERE
I THOUGHT YOU DIDN'T LIKE THIS KIND OF FOOD
YOU LOOK VERY HAPPY
"SHE SEEMS SO THIN, DON'T KNOW IF SHE EATS OR NOT."
?
HAHA!
POLISHED IT ALL OFF
AH, I'M FULL!

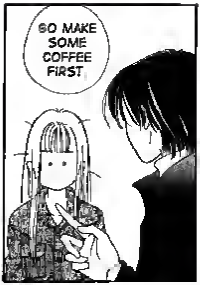
AH, THERE'S A MESSAGE
SEE YA.
GOOD NIGHT SEE YOU TOMORROW
KAZUKI, SOMETHING HAPPENED TO YOUR FATHER!
THEY SAID HE'S SERIOUSLY INJURED IN A CAR ACCIDENT! ANYWAY, CALL BACK AS SOON AS YOU HEAR THIS!
I DON'T KNOW THE DETAILS YET BUT I'LL CALL YOU AGAIN!
SFX "OPEN!"
I'M GOING BACK TO SENDAI!
SCURRY SCURRY SCURRY
WHY ALL THE NOISE?

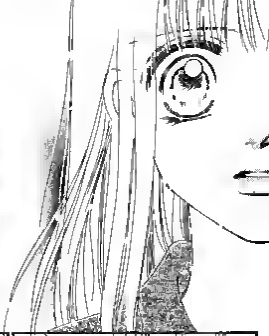
UH ...
YOU'RE GOING LIKE THIS?
MISMATCHED SHOES
MOM SAID DAD WAS HURT IN AN ACCIDENT
WAIT A MINUTE
WHAT HAPPENED?
I THINK IT'S BETTER FOR YOU TO STAY HERE AND WAIT FOR YOUR MOTHER TO CALL AGAIN
BUT CAN YOU MAKE THE LAST BULLET TRAIN AT TOKYO STATION?
MAYBE THEY WENT TO THE HOSPITAL
I CALLED BACK AS SOON AS I HEARD THE MESSAGE BUT NO ONE ANSWERED
UHN

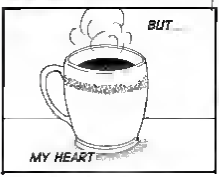

YEAH
IS THIS PERSON FAMILY?
WHO IS HE?
DAD...
I'D THOUGHT YOU MUST HAVE BEEN THE YOUNGEST
MY LITTLE BROTHER TWO YEARS YOUNGER THAN ME
WHY?
BECAUSE YOU LOOK VERY STUBBORN
OF COURSE! ANYWAY, YOU BEING HERE IS THE SAME AS NOT HERE
WILL YOU BE ALRIGHT IF I LEAVE?
THE DOOR'S THIS WAY
ALRIGHT, GOODBYE
PUSH!

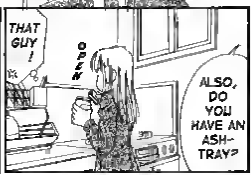
EH...?
THEN I'LL STAY

IF IT'S THE SAME WHETHER I'M HERE OR NOT,
THEN IT'S ALRIGHT IF I STAY


SO MAKE SOME COFFEE FIRST




BUT...
MY HEART


THAT GUY!
OPEN
ALSO, DO YOU HAVE AN ASH-TRAY?

SEEMS TO HAVE CALMED DOWN

HI-OSE TOO.
EXHALE
AH!
I FELL ASLEEP!
RIIIINNGGGG
RIIIINNGGGG
WHAT THE HECK HAPPENED?
OH! IT'S ALREADY THIS LATE!
MOM, WERE YOU ASLEEP?
RIIING
... HELLO.
WHY ARE YOU CALLING SO EARLY IN THE MOR-NING?
KAZUKI? RUBBISH! OF COURSE I WAS ASLEEP!
WHY DIDN'T YOU CALL AT ALL?
NO ONE ANSWERED WHEN I CALLED BACK. IS DAD ALRIGHT?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
I WENT TO MY MOTHER'S HOUSE AND GOT BACK LATE.

EH?!
AND I IMMEDIATELY CALLED BACK ON YOUR ANSWERING MACHINE TO SAY THAT IT WAS ALL A MISTAKE ABOUT YOUR FATHER
THAT'S ALL. I'M HANGING UP NOW
HANG UP
KAZUKI, SOMETHING HAPPENED TO YOUR FATHER!
THEY SAID HE'S...
BEEP
MESSAGE ONE
BEEP
BEEP
MESSAGE TWO.
HELLO. THIS IS MOM. THE CALL BEFORE ABOUT DAD, WELL, IT WAS ONE OF HIS WORKMATES RELAYING THE WRONG MESSAGE.
YOUR FATHER IS FINE. I WAS RELIEVED THOUGH I FEEL SORRY FOR THE OTHER FAMILY.
SORRY FOR WORRYING YOU LIKE THAT. BYE.

NO ENERGY
SORRY ABOUT THAT.
IT'S DOWN

UNBELIEVING SILENCE

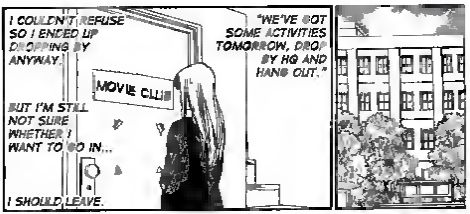
I WAS IN SUCH A RUSH THAT I DIDN'T HEAR THE 2ND MESSAGE.
OH... I'M SO EMBARRSED. I AM SUCH AN IDIOT.

UHN
THANK YOU, HIROSE

I'M GOING BACK TO BED
SIGH

I WAS FEELING SO SCARED INSIDE.
I FELT SO HAPPY WHEN YOU SAID,
"THEN I'LL STAY."
REALLY HAPPY

ACTUALLY,


I COULDN'T REFUSE SO I ENDED UP DROPPING BY ANYWAY.
MOVIE CLUB
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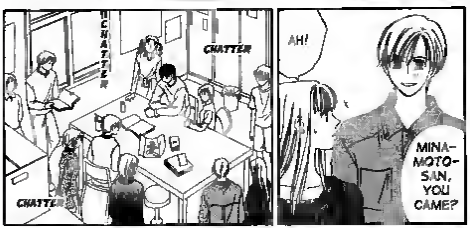
CHATTER
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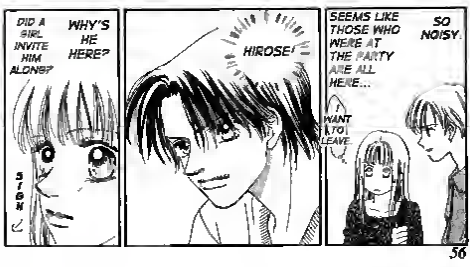
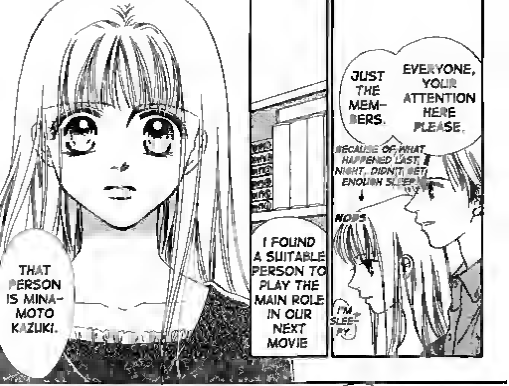
AH!
MINAMOTO-SAN, YOU CAME?


DID A GIRL INVITE HIM ALONG?
WHY'S HE HERE?
SIGH
HIROSE!
SEEMS LIKE THOSE WHO WERE AT THE PARTY ARE ALL HERE...
I WANT TO LEAVE.
SO NOISY.

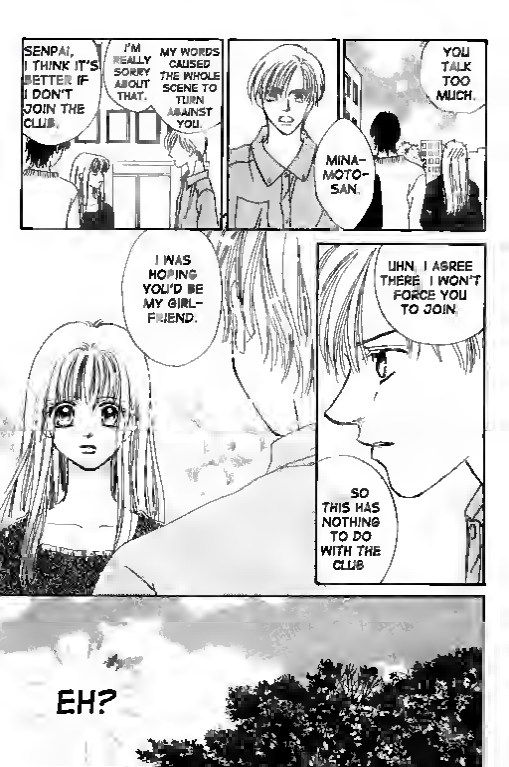

THAT PERSON IS MINAMOTO KAZUKI.
I FOUND A SUITABLE PERSON TO PLAY THE MAIN ROLE IN OUR NEXT MOVIE
JUST THE MEMBERS.
EVERYONE, YOUR ATTENTION HERE PLEASE.
BECAUSE OF WHAT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT, DIDN'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP
NOOO.
I'M SLEEPY.

AH?
SMILE
...BUT DIDN'T WE ALREADY DECIDE THAT MIKA WOULD PLAY HER?
SHOCK

AH... ABOUT THAT, I
THE MAIN CHARACTER WASN'T DECIDED THOUGH
BUT DON'T YOU THINK YOU TOOK TOO MUCH INITIATIVE, OOSHIMA-SAN? DRAGGING A FIRST YEAR AMATEUR INTO THIS
FIRSTLY, CAN SHE ACT?
WAIT A SEC.
HOW DID IT TURN OUT LIKE THIS?
I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS---!
MIKA, SPEAK UP FOR YOURSELF
IF YOU'RE ONLY
I'M OUTTA HERE
STANDS UP
JOINING BECAUSE NO ONE ELSE WILL TAKE YOU, I SUGGEST THAT YOU QUIT RIGHT NOW.

I'M HERE TOO BECAUSE SOMEONE BROUGHT ME ALONG.
EH?
WAIT A MINUTE, HIROSE-KUN, THEY ARE NOT TALKING ABOUT YOU!
WHAT CAN I DO?
I SHOULD LEAVE AS WELL...
KAZUKI.

LOOKS LIKE YOU'RE NOT TOO POPULAR
SIGH
SAVED AT LAST
IT'S ALL BECAUSE YOU SAID THAT YOU DIDN'T GET INTO YOUR FIRST CHOICE SCHOOL AND HAD TO COME HERE.
IT'D BE STRANGE IF YOU AREN'T DISLIKED
IF WE'RE TO LOOK BACK, IT WAS ALL YOUR FAULT ANYWAY
YOU ALSO SAID THOSE PICKY WORDS, I COULDN'T HELP BUT RETORT.
IT'S YOUR OWN FAULT, WHO TOLD YOU TO RETORT?
BUT, THAT'S WHAT I LIKE ABOUT YOU


SENPAI, I THINK IT'S BETTER IF I DON'T JOIN THE CLUB.
I'M REALLY SORRY ABOUT THAT.
MY WORDS CAUSED THE WHOLE SCENE TO TURN AGAINST YOU.
MINA-MOTO-SAN.
YOU TALK TOO MUCH.
I WAS HOPING YOU'D BE MY GIRL-FRIEND.
UHN. I AGREE THERE. I WON'T FORCE YOU TO JOIN.
SO THIS HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH THE CLUB
EH?

ALRIGHT! YOU SHOULD SAY YES!
I CAN'T SAY YES!
IT'S NOT THAT EASY
CHIE, YOU'RE TOO LOUD
EH? HE CONFESSED?
THAT SENPAI IS PRETTY GOOD LOOKING
LUCKY YOU I WANT A BOYFRIEND TOO
SO IF YOU DON'T HATE HIM THERE IS NO HARM IN GIVING IT A GO
ANYWAY, YOU DON'T HAVE A BOYFRIEND.
IS IT REALLY LIKE THIS?

HI
HEY
KAZUKI, ARE YOU FREE TOMORROW?
I ALREADY SAID I'D HANG OUT WITH CHIE AND THE OTHERS
TELL THEM TO COME AROUND HERE
OOSHIMA WILL BE DROPPING BY THAT NIGHT AND WE CAN HAVE A FEW DRINKS TOGETHER
OOSHIMA-SENPAI
SO WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO DO WITH OOSHIMA?
WHAT DO YOU THINK I SHOULD DO?
YOU GOTTA DECIDE FOR YOURSELF

I FEEL REALLY SURPRISED.
DIDN'T EXPECT THESE KIND WORDS FROM HIROSE'S MOUTH
DON'T LAUGH!
HEHE

OH YEAH, WE SHOULD TOAST TO KAZUKI-CHAN AND OOSHIMA-SENPAI TOO
CHIE!
CHEERS!
LET'S ALL HAVE A TOAST FIRST!

EH!
WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT! WE'RE OLD SCHOOL-MATES
YEAH, BUT, HIROSE-KUN ISN'T IT A BIT RUDE JUST CALLING OOSHIMA-SENPAI BY HIS SURNAME?
I DIDN'T KNOW THAT HIROSE-KUN AND OOSHIMA-SENPAI WERE SO CLOSE
WHAT DID YOU SAY!
NO WONDER YOU'RE SO OLD
WHAT!
THAT'S RIGHT
THEN YOU DID THE ENTRANCE EXAMS TWICE?
I DIDN'T REALIZE IT,
SO HE'S TWO YEARS OLDER THAN US. WHAT A SURPRISE.
EVEN THOUGH WE'RE NOT THE SAME AGE, I STILL FEEL AS IF I KNOW HIROSE VERY WELL
TODAY'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE LOOKED INSIDE HIS PLACE

KAZUKI-SAN, WOULD
TAKE CARE NOW, SENPAI
WOULD YOU COME TO THE MOVIES WITH ME ONE DAY?
IF YOU DON'T HURRY, YOU WON'T CATCH THE LAST TRAIN
IT'S ALRIGHT, IT'S NOT THAT MUCH WORK
SORRY WE COULDN'T HELP YOU CLEAN UP
UHN, SEE YOU TOMORROW
IF THINGS GO ON LIKE THIS, WOULD HE TAKE IT AS I'VE ALREADY AGREED TO BE HIS GIRLFRIEND?
WHAT CAN I DO?
CALL ME WHEN YOU WANT TO SEE A MOVIE, OKAY?
THIS IS ALSO THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN HIROSE FALL ASLEEP GETTING ALL DRUNK

GRAB
EH?
ALRIGHT, LET'S START CLEANING
NO WONDER HE'S ASLEEP, DRINKING SO MUCH
HE'S A GOOD DRINKER BUT IT'S STILL BAD FOR YOUR BODY
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
W-WHAT ARE YOU DOING, HIROSE?
YOU'RE DRUNK!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
MI

EH?
WHOSE NAME?
DON!
YOU BASTARD!
SIGH
ASSHOLE!

CLOSE DOOR
MI
YAWN
HANG-OVER
KAZUKI
CAN YOU COME HELP ME CLEAN BEFORE YOU GO?
LOOKS LIKE HE DOESN'T REMEMBER
STARE
CLOSE DOOR
OI, KAZUKI?
WHAT WAS THAT FOR?

IGNORE
DON DON DON
WH... WHAT'S GOING ON?
AH, CHIE!
O! KAZUKI.
I'M NOT ANGRY WITH HIS KISSING ME EITHER.
I CAN'T FACE HIROSE.
WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?

WHAT SHOULD I DO?
KAZUKI, DID YOU HAVE AN ARGUMENT WITH HIROSE -KUN?
I SHOULD GO TALK TO HIM
OR ELSE, WE'LL REMAIN LIKE THIS FOREVER

SENPAI, WERE YOU GOOD FRIENDS WITH HIROSE?
WE WERE IN THE SAME CLASS
BUT WE WEREN'T REALLY CLOSE FRIENDS
HOW CAN I SAY THIS... HE WAS VERY FAMOUS IN OUR SCHOOL...
WANNA GRAB A BITE BEFORE THE MOVIE?
AH, OKAY
FA-MOUS?
WAS IT SOME-THING HE DID?
NO, NOT REALLY...
...IT'S ALL FINISHED NOW, SO I GUESS IT'S OKAY TO TALK ABOUT IT
HE AND ONE OF OUR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS DATED...

WHAT WAS HER FULL NAME?
KITAHARA-SENSEI
I THINK
WHAT WAS THAT TEACHER'S NAME?
IT'S NOT THAT HE RE-TESTED TWICE MORE LIKE HE DIDN'T DO THE TESTS AT ALL.
THAT CAUSED A BIG UPROAR IN SCHOOL.
WITH A HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER ?
MI
IT WAS KITAHARA NATSUMI.
DID YOU GUYS COME TO WATCH THE MOVIE TOO?
OOSHIMA-SENPAI, WHAT A COINCIDENCE
AH.

OH!
GLARE
THEY SAID THEY HAD FREE TICKETS, MIGHT AS WELL
HIROSE, YOU CAME TOO?
HIROSE
DO YOU STILL LOVE THAT TEACHER?

DID YOU...
MISTAKENLY THINK I WAS THAT TEACHER?
LOOK AT YOUR DREAMY EXPRES-SION
EH!
AH!
WAS THE MOVIE THAT GOOD?
EVERYONE SAYS THEY WANT TO GO TO KARAOKE, WANNA GO TOO?
AH, OKAY

"IF THAT PERSON JOINED THE CLUB BECAUSE NO ONE ELSE WILL TAKE YOU..."
NO.
¥350
ARE YOU PLANNING TO JOIN OUR CLUB?
ARE YOU MINAMOTO-SAN?
SPLASH
THEN WHY ARE YOU WITH OOSHIMA-SAN?
I NEED TO TELL YOU...
HOW DID IT TURN OUT LIKE THIS?
IS IT ONLY BECAUSE YOU WANT TO BE IN A MOVIE THAT YOU SEDUCE OOSHIMA-SAN?
AH?
ISN'T IT MIKA'S?
WHOSE SONG IS THIS ONE? IT'S STARTED
SPLASH
MIKA!

I DEF-INITELY WON'T BE JOINING THE MOVIE CLUB.
DON'T WORRY.
KAZUKI-CHAN!
STALKS OUT

DING-DONG
NOT HOME YET
WHAT HAPPENED JUST THEN?
SORRY
LOOKING AROUND
DAMN IT, WHERE DID SHE GO?
SENPAI, I CAN'T GO OUT WITH YOU
EH?

YOU WERE LOOKING FOR ME?
YOU LEFT SOME-THING AT THE PARTY. I BROUGHT IT BACK FOR YOU BUT YOU WEREN'T HOME.
PLUS WHAT HAPPEN-ED THERE.
AND IT'S LATE TOO.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
COMING TO THIS PLACE...
I SAID TOO MANY CRUEL THINGS TO OOSHIMA-SENPAI.
WHAT DID YOU SAY?
"WHY ARE YOU WITH OOSHIMA-SAN?"
SHE COULD BE MAD BECAUSE OF THAT.
THAT GIRL SEEMS TO LIKE OOSHIMA-SENPAI
I SAID,
THAT I DIDN'T HAVE ANY INTEREST IN THE MOVIE CLUB OR HIM.
BUT IT WAS STRAIGHT FROM MY HEART.

I WASN'T REALLY WATCHING THE MOVIE IN THE THEATRE.
I DON'T REMEMBER A THING FROM IT.
WHEN I'M WITH SENPAI.
ALL I CAN THINK OF
WAS HIROSE.
WERE YOU HIDING FROM ME?
EH? AS IF.
LIAR.
HIROSE!
IS IT TRUE THAT YOU STILL LIKE KITAHARA NATSUMI?

NO,

IT'S NOT LIKE THAT

I WANT TO KNOW
WHERE HIROSE'S HEART LIES.
FROM THAT TIME ON, MY HEART STARTED TO FALL FOR HIROSE.
IDIOT!!
AH?!
!!
...YOUR BREATH STILL SMELLS OF YOUR MEAL.

Wow, we finished another project! Hurray!

Yet it isn't the time to party yet...

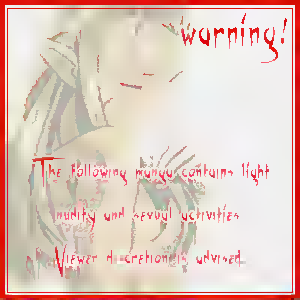
HEY THERE! HOW DID YOU LIKE THIS PROJECT? EVERY TIME WE FINISH SCANLATING A MANGA, WE'D LIKE TO KNOW HOW YOU LIKED THE WORK! IF YOU'D TAKE A FEW MINUTES AND TELL US...

"HOW DID YOU THINK OF THE STORYLINE?"
"DID YOU LIKE THE ART STYLE OF THIS MANGA?"
"WOULD YOU LIKE US TO DO MORE PROJECTS FROM THE SAME MANGAKA IN THE FUTURE?"
>>AND ETC...<<

THIS WILL GREATLY HELP US WITH OUR FUTURE PLANS, AND PLEASE FEEL FREE TO LEAVE YOUR FOOTSTEPS AT OUR SITE OR AT OUR FORUM.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

From Janice and the ED scanlating crew!

It's almost the end of summer...
@selectivemansion026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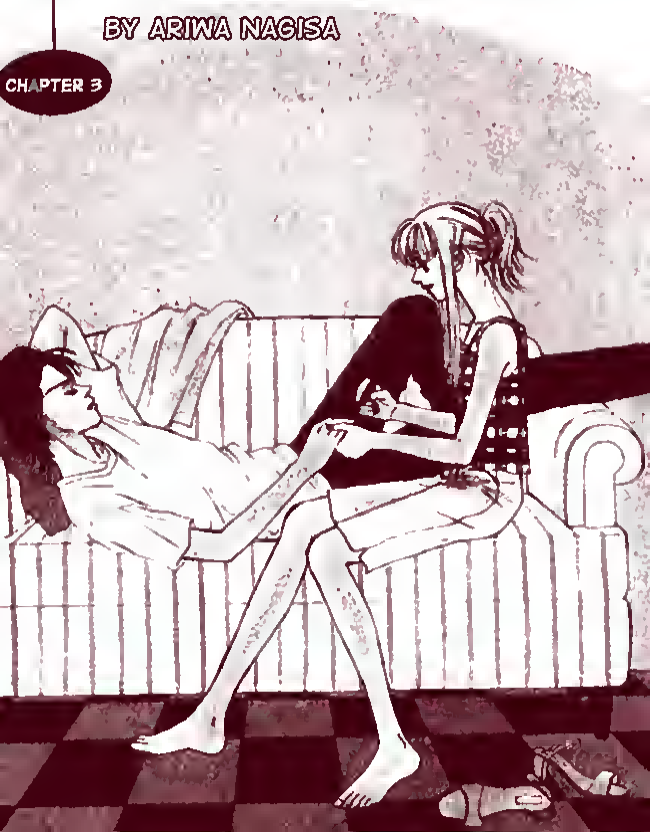
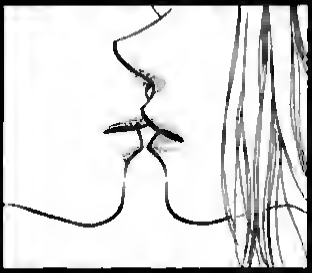
WISH TO LIE BESIDE YOU

BY ARIWA NAGISA

CHAPTER 3



I and my neighbor, Hirose



In a moment of unawareness, kissed.

CREAK
CREAK
HURRY
SLAM
MORNING.
MOR... MORNING.

THE SUDDEN KISS YESTERDAY,
MADE ME CLUELESS ON HOW TO FACE HIM.
SO AWKWARD.
YEAH.
YOU HAVE CLASS ON FIRST PERIOD?
..!!
HE JUST SO EASILY ASKED THE QUESTION THAT HAS BEEN TROUBLING ME.
DO YOU LIKE ME?
AH!
THIS
UHMM
SHOULD I SAY THAT I WANT TO START A RELATIONSHIP WITH YOU?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "PLAN TO DO"?
AH?
WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO DO?
AND THEN ?

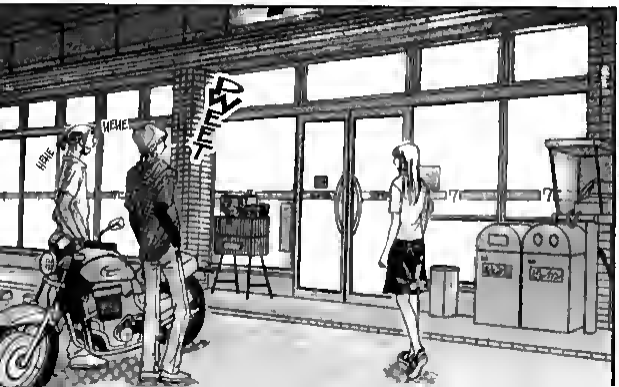
LOOKING AT OTHER PEOPLE'S REACTIONS WITH JOY !
PIKA!
THIS POINT OF YOURS, I...
HID-SE,
REALLY LIKE, RIGHT?
---- EH?
LET'S START A RELATION-SHIP!
WHAT A BAD ATTI-TUDE~~!
HE KNEW IT! EAR-LIER

HE'S COMING HERE
AH! HE REJECTED IT!
SO POPULAR!
YET ANOTHER GIRL INVITING HIROSE OUT
SFX <WHOOSH>
HIRO...
I'M ALMOST LATE FOR MY PART-TIME WORK. BYE!
HEY, HIROSE!
AH?
SILENCE~
KA... KAZUKI, I'M JUST KIDDING!
AFTER GOING OUT FOR ONE WEEK, OUR RELATIONSHIP IS STILL AS BEFORE. NOTHING CHANGED.
COULD HE HAVE ANOTHER GIRLFRIEND?
...I WANT TO ASK HIM THAT TOO!
KAZUKI... ARE YOU REALLY HIS GIRLFRIEND?
HE DIDN'T EVEN NOTICE YOU JUST NOW

HIROSE HAD A RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER BEFORE
"DO YOU STILL LIKE KITAHARA NATSUMI?"
"IS IT BECAUSE YOU HEARD THAT I HAD A RELATIONSHIP WITH MY HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER BEFORE THAT YOU HATE ME?"
SINCE THEN, HE HAS NEVER MENTIONED IT,
NEVER LET ME KNOW IF HE HAS FORGOTTEN HER OR NOT,
THIS MAKES ME FEEL INSECURE...
VIDEO
YOU
OOPS!
LAST TIME I TOLD YOU THERE WAS THIS CUTE BIRL WHO OFTEN CAME, IT'S HER!
IT'S HER!
OH...
YAMAGUCHI, YOU LIKE THIS TYPE?

HIRO-SE
.....
I TOLD YOU IT'S OK, BUT YOU STILL CAME!
I THINK YOU BETTER GO AND FIND YOUR OWN PART-TIME WORK!
KOKI
CAN'T HE SAY SOME-THING ELSE?
GEEZ AT THE VERY LEAST YOU COULD BRING ME OUT SOMEWHERE!
...OH!
HELLO, I'M YAMA-GUCHI.
...MAY I KNOW, ARE YOU HIROSE'S GIRL-FRIEND?
...MAYBE!
MAY-BE?
I'M GOING FIRST THEN.
KA-ZUKI,
WAIT FOR ME, I'M ALMOST OFF.

A GIRL ALONE AT THIS KIND OF TIME
BUT, IS THIS OK?
CHEH! SO SHE'S YOUR GIRL-FRIEND!
THEN I'LL BE AT THE CONVE-NIENCE STORE THERE.
YEAH
IT'S TOO DANGEROUS FOR A GIRL TO BE ALONE IN THE STREETS!
SO CUTE
LAUGHS
WHAT IF SHE MEETS SOME LECHERS DRUNK OR EVEN PERVERTS?


HEHE
HIHI
PEEP

HEY, ARE YOU LISTENING?
I AM!
WORKING PART-TIME AT A VIDEO RENTAL SHOP SEEMS PRETTY FUN
AND YOU CAN LEARN STUFF ABOUT MOVIES TOO
DO WORKERS LIKE YOU GET DISCOUNTS?
I'LL ASK THE SHOP OWNER WHETHER HE IS STILL LOOKING FOR WORKERS
NEXT TIME YOU
AH?
DON'T COME TO MY PART-TIME PLACE TO LOOK FOR ME.

WE DON'T LOOK LIKE LOVERS AT ALL!
HOW DO YOU EXPECT ME TO UNDERSTAND THAT REPLY?
...
NO REASON.
WHY?
EH?
DON'T FALL ASLEEP HALFWAY THOUGH!
YEAH.
I WON'T!
KAZUKI,
I BORROWED A VIDEO, DO YOU WANT TO WATCH?

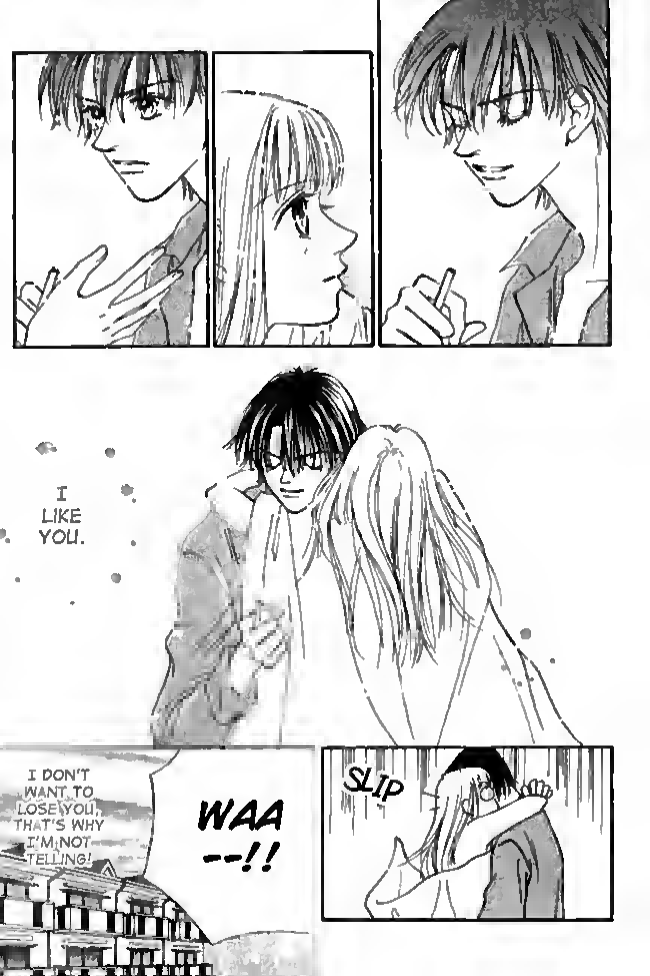
RUSTLE
HE THOUGHT I WAS THAT PERSON,
AND EVEN KISSED ME
"...MI"
ONCE I'M IN HIROSE'S ROOM, I START REMEMBERING THAT INCIDENT
...
WHAT?
NOTHING
IF I ASK I'M AFRAID HE'LL BE ANGRY
MI? YOU'RE STARING THERE
YOU LOOK LIKE YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY
AH?
WHY?

HIRO-SE...
YOU STILL LIKE THAT TEACHER NOW...
DO YOU LIKE ME ?

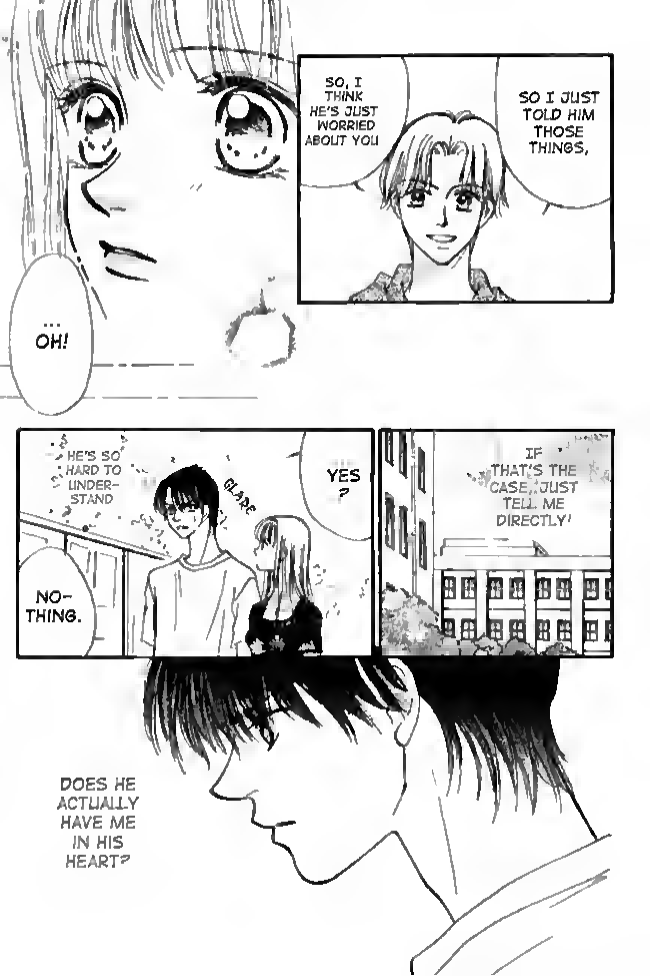
HIROSE
...

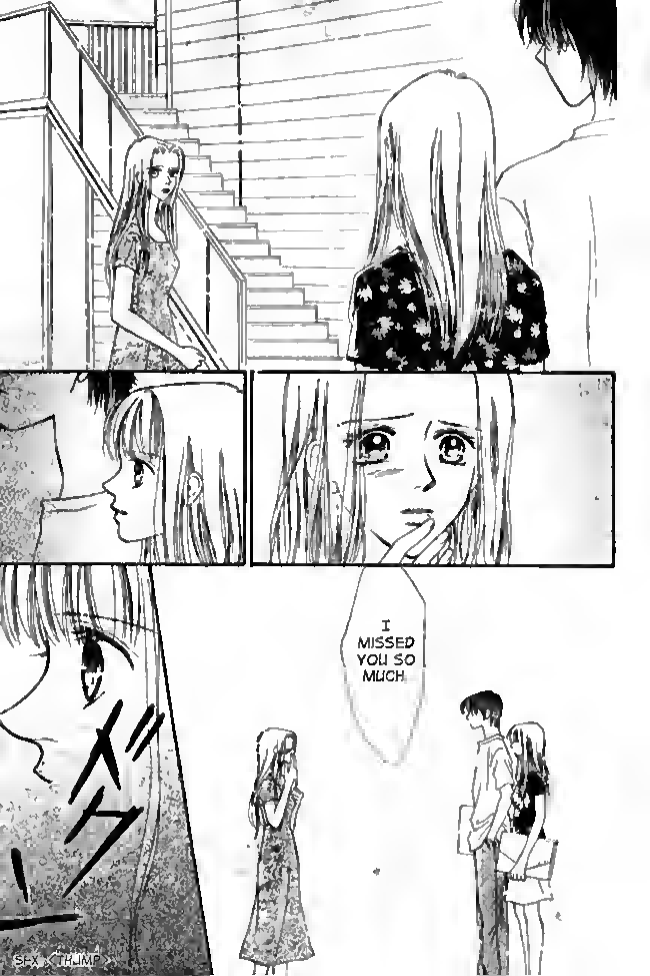
THE PERSON YOU ARE KISSING IS ME, RIGHT?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
HEY
DO YOU KNOW WHAT I'M THINKING RIGHT NOW?
!!
NO WAY !
PER-VERT!
DON'T YOU THINK DIRTY!


I LIKE YOU.
I DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOU. THAT'S WHY I'M NOT TELLING!
WAA --!!
SLIP

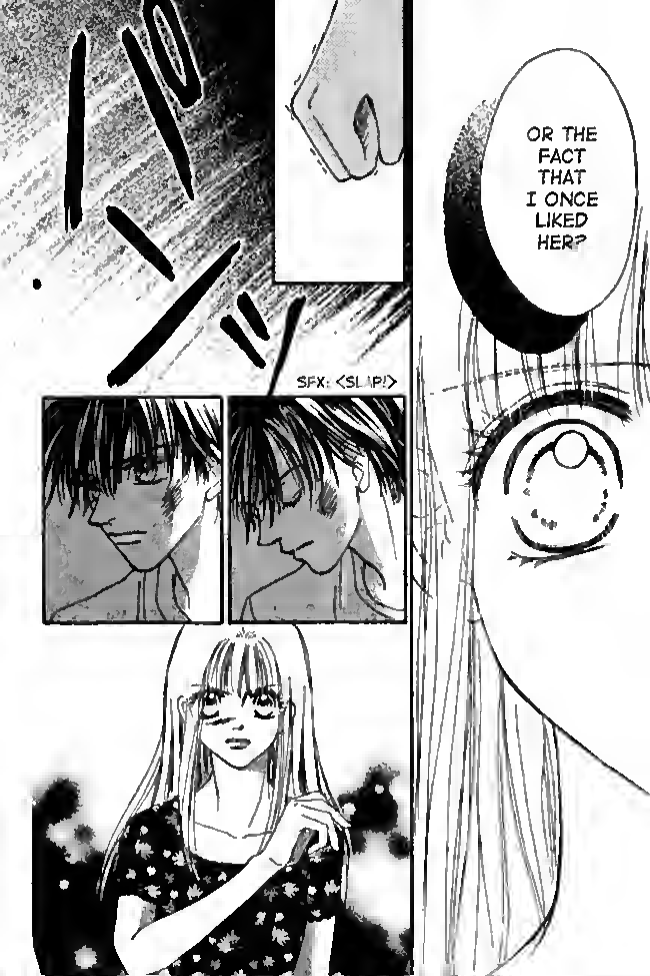
YES? ANYTHING I CAN DO?
SUDDEN
WAH!
HELLO!
PAT
LOOKS AROUND
I'M HERE TO RETURN THE CD I LAST BORROWED...
IS HIROSE HERE YET?
HE'S NOT HERE YET!
DID YOU BUYS QUARREL?
HE SUDDENLY ASKED ME NOT TO COME HERE TO LOOK FOR HIM...
STRANGE RIGHT?
HIROSE, DON'T YOU KNOW? RECENTLY MANY STREET LECHERS APPEARED AROUND HERE,
THE CULPRITS HAVE YET TO BE CAUGHT...
I WOULDN'T LET MY GIRLFRIEND GO BY HERSELF LATE AT NIGHT! I'D BE DEAD WORRIED...
DIDN'T YOU COME HERE AT 12 O CLOCK AT NIGHT THE LAST TIME?
EH?
COULD IT BE BECAUSE OF ME?
AND THEN I


SO, I THINK HE'S JUST WORRIED ABOUT YOU
SO I JUST TOLD HIM THOSE THINGS,
... OH!
HE'S SO HARD TO UNDER-STAND
GLARE
YES ?
NO-THING.
IF THAT'S THE CASE, JUST TELL ME DIRECTLY!
DOES HE ACTUALLY HAVE ME IN HIS HEART?


I MISSED YOU SO MUCH.
SEX X THUMP

STEP
HIROSE
THIS PERSON
BANG

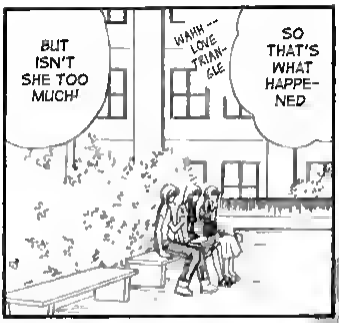
DON'T YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY?
NO!
WHAT IS
ASUAS
YOU OBVIOUSLY STILL CAN'T FORGET THAT PERSON!
WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO FORGET?
HER LOOKS?
HER NAME?
THE DAYS WE SPENT TOGETHER?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "FORGET"?

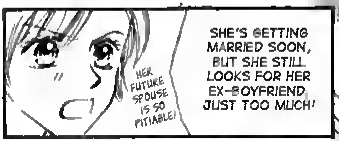

OR THE FACT THAT I ONCE LIKED HER?
SFX: <SLAP!>

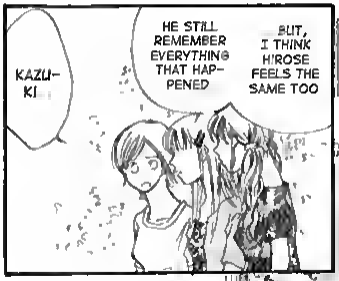
SFX. <SLAM!>
I HATE THIS!
I HATE THIS! I HATE THIS SO MUCH!
WHY CAN'T HE CONSIDER MY FEELINGS AT ALL!
YOU'RE... KITAHARA NATSUMI -SAN...
RIGHT?
STEP

CAN I ASK YOU A QUES-TION
ABOUT YOU AND HIROSE?
AT THAT TIME, I...
ALREADY HAD A FIANCE. BUT I STILL FELL IN LOVE WITH HIM.
BUT IT WAS ALMOST EXAM TIME. OUR RELA-TIONSHIP BECAME A BOMB IN SCHOOL.
I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO, SO I...
RAN AWAY!
YOU REGRET BREAKING UP WITH HIM?
THAT'S WHY YOU LOOKED FOR HIM...

TO GET MARRIED SOON.
I AM GOING
BUT I DON'T KNOW WHY, I JUST FEEL LIKE SEEING HIM...
YOU STILL LIKE HIROSE?
WHO'S THE PERSON YOU'RE MARRYING?
...THE SAME PERSON I TOLD YOU JUST NOW.
HE'S FROM TOKYO, WE'RE CELEBRATING OUR NUPTIALS SOON IN A CHURCH.


BUT ISN'T SHE TOO MUCH!
WAHH -- LOVE TRIANGLE
SO THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED


HER FUTURE SPOUSE IS SO PITIABLE!
SHE'S GETTING MARRIED SOON, BUT SHE STILL LOOKS FOR HER EX-BOYFRIEND JUST TOO MUCH!

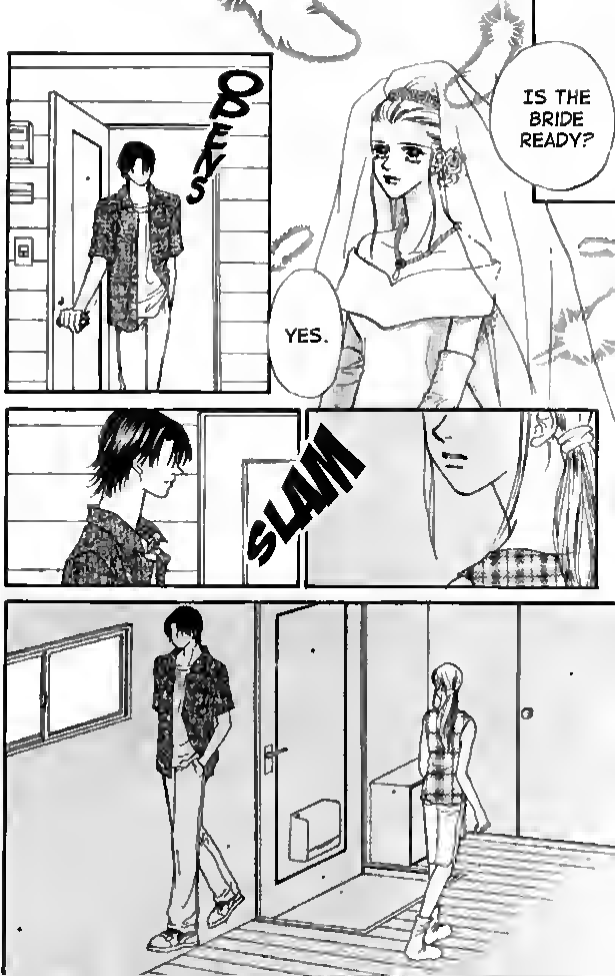

KAZUKI
HE STILL REMEMBER EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENED
BUT, I THINK HIROSE FEELS THE SAME TOO

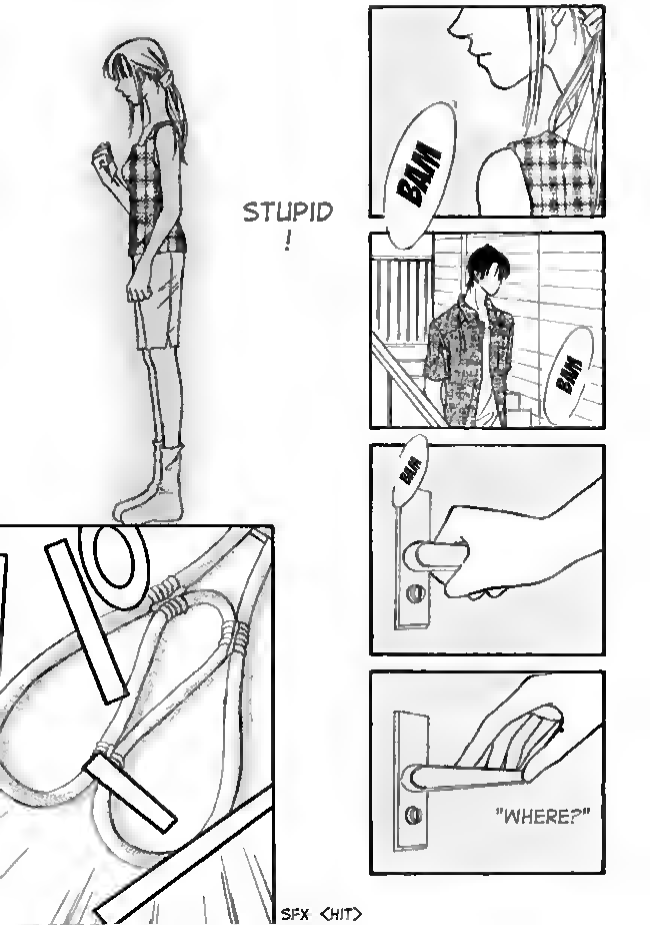
SORRY,
I MUST HAVE MADE YOU FEEL INSECURED

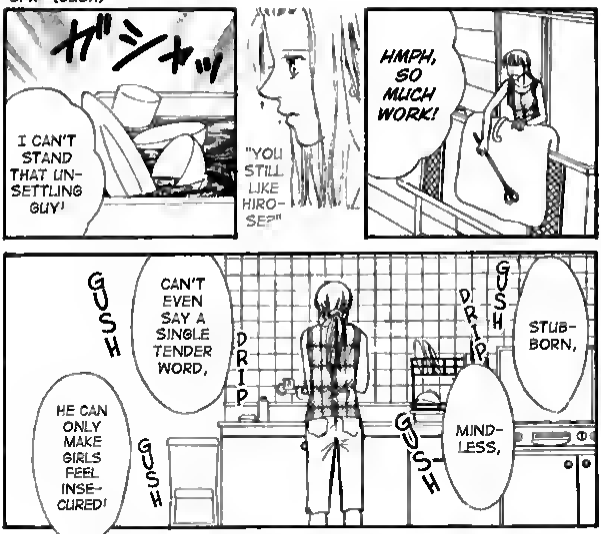
KAZUKI, DON'T TELL HIROSE THAT SHE'S GETTING MARRIED SOON!
EH?
BECAUSE IF IT BECOMES LIKE DARCY FOREMAN'S "GRADUATEE", WHAT WILL HAPPEN?
STOLE AWAY PEOPLE'S BRIDE
GEEZ CHIE!
WE HAVE CLASS ON 4TH PERIOD, WE'RE GOING FIRST
YEAH
KAZUKI, DON'T GET SO WORRIED
THANK YOU FOR SLAPPING ME REAL HARD YESTER-DAY!

SHE'S GETTING MARRIED TOMO-RROW!
OH.
I DON'T THINK I DID ANYTHING WRONG
KAZUKI, DO YOU HAVE TIME TOMORROW?
SHOCK
LIGHT
MY PART-TIME WORKER FRIEND, YAMAGUCHI, YOU KNOW HIM TOO, RIGHT?
HE ASKED US OUT
"DON'T TELL HIROSE THAT SHE'S GETTING MARRIED SOON!"
LISTEN TO ME, HIROSE!

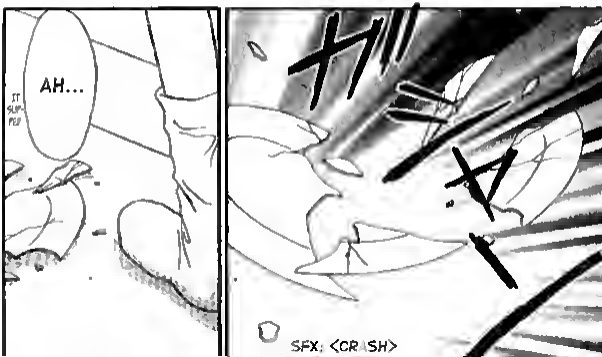
WHERE ?


OPENS
IS THE BRIDE READY?
YES.
SLAM


STUPID
!
BAM
BAM
BAM
"WHERE?"
SFX <HIT>



IT'S ALWAYS MY FEELINGS THAT FOLLOW HIM...



...
SHUDDER
UGH
...

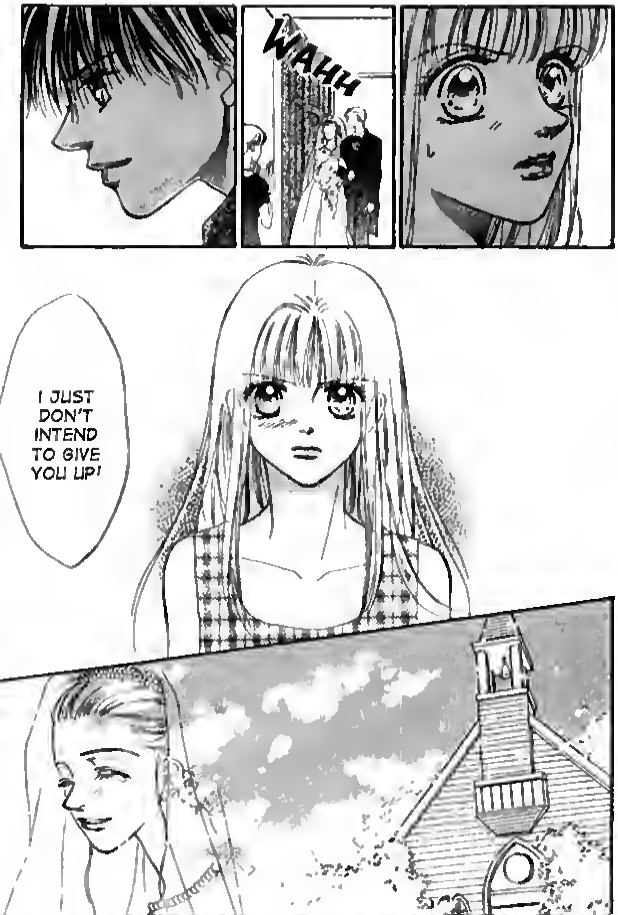
YOU'RE FINALLY HERE..
I'M HERE TO SAY SOMETHING TO YOU
ME TOO..
...EH? JUST NOW..

HE SAID, "YOU'RE FINALLY HERE"...
DON'T TEST OTHER PEOPLE NEXT TIME.

EH?

YOU ARE THE ONE WHO'S PURPOSELY TESTING ME!
TO SEE IF I WOULD COME OR NOT...
THIS GUY...!
THIS..
YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW HOW I FEEL!
TOO MUCH
WHAT DO YOU TAKE OTHER PEOPLE'S FEELINGS FOR?
SOMEONE SO LOW AS YOU...
I...

BUT YOU STILL LIKE ME, RIGHT?

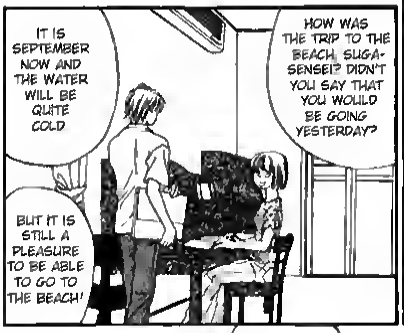

WAHH
I JUST DON'T INTEND TO GIVE YOU UP!

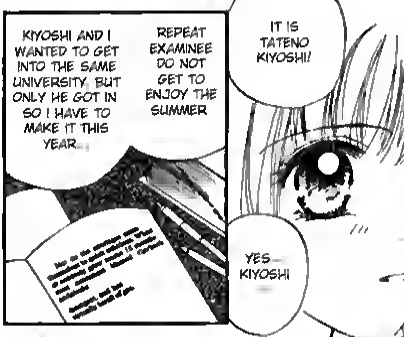
EVERYTIME, I'M ALWAYS THE ONE CHASING AFTER HIM .
AND IGNORED YOU FOREVER, WHAT WOULD YOU DO?
HEY, IF I DIDN'T CHASE YOU,
DON'T KNOW.
THIS EVIL GUY~~!
BUT, ONE DAY, I WILL MAKE HIROSE CHASE AFTER ME.
YOUR OVERCONFI-DENT ATTITUDE COULD ONE DAY COST YOU YOUR LIFE!
<<WISH TO LIE BESIDE YOU - END>>

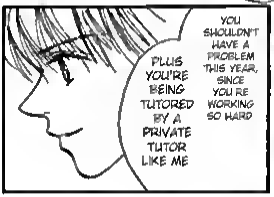
One-shot

Eternal Heart

YUU NAGISA


IT IS SEPTEMBER NOW AND THE WATER WILL BE QUITE COLD
HOW WAS THE TRIP TO THE BEACH, SUGA-SENSEI? DIDN'T YOU SAY THAT YOU WOULD BE GOING YESTERDAY?
BUT IT IS STILL A PLEASURE TO BE ABLE TO GO TO THE BEACH!
HI!


KIYOSHI AND I WANTED TO GET INTO THE SAME UNIVERSITY. BUT ONLY HE GOT IN SO I HAVE TO MAKE IT THIS YEAR...
REPEAT EXAMINEE DO NOT GET TO ENJOY THE SUMMER
IT IS TATENO KIYOSHI!
WHAT'S HIS NAME ...?
MARI, DIDN'T YOU GO TO THE BEACH AT ALL THIS YEAR? YOU DIDN'T GO WITH YOUR BOY-FRIEND...
YES... KIYOSHI


YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE A PROBLEM THIS YEAR, SINCE YOU'RE WORKING SO HARD
PLUS YOU'RE BEING TUTORED BY A PRIVATE TUTOR LIKE ME

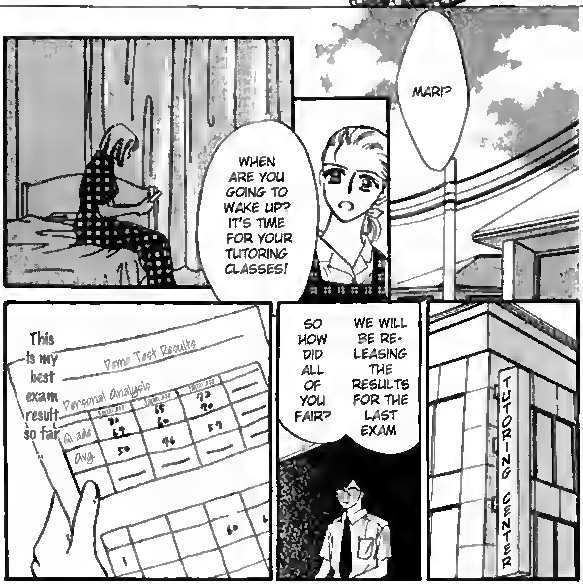
NOW IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DO WHAT WE WANT LIKE LAST YEAR'S SUMMER.

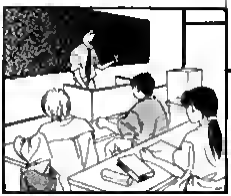
OH
THANKS!
OH YEAH, THIS IS THE REFERENCE BOOK YOU WERE TALKING ABOUT LAST TIME
SURE!
IF WE LEAVE NOW WE WILL BE ABLE TO GET THERE ON TIME
THE MOVIE IS STILL SHOWING! I WANT TO WATCH IT!
OH... OKAY
LET'S HURRY, WE DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME LEFT!
They looked so alike!
I thought it was Kiyoshi...

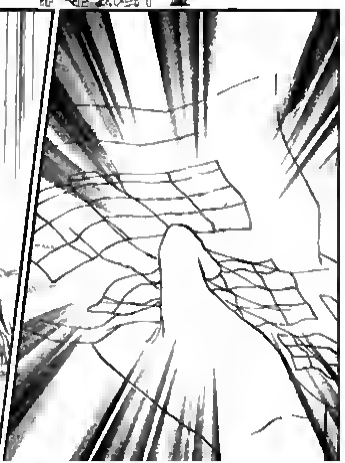
But they really looked alike.
SPRING
Nanakusa
IT IS SO RARE THAT HE IS LATE
I am the one who met my Prince

I'M SORRY!
YOU WERE JUST A LITTLE LATE, YOU DON'T HAVE TO SOUND SO SERIOUS
DO YOU KNOW THAT I WAS AT THE BOOK-STORE AND I SAW SOMEONE WHO LOOKED LIKE
KIYOSHI
I'M SORRY!
EH..?
Some-one
who looked like Kiyoshi
WE MET AT OUR UNI-VERSITY
AND WE STARTED GOING OUT LAST MONTH.

CAN WE BREAK UP?
IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T LIKE YOU... BUT
I CAN'T BEAR TO SAY IT...


MARI?
WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO WAKE UP? IT'S TIME FOR YOUR TUTORING CLASSES!
This is my best exam result so far
Personal Analysis
Exam Test Results
SO HOW DID ALL OF YOU FAIR?
WE WILL BE RE-LEASING THE RESULTS FOR THE LAST EXAM
TUTORING CENTER





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ALTHOUGH WE ARE EXAMINEES, WE ALSO DESERVE THE RIGHT TO TAKE A BREAK!
THE BEACH IS SO FUN FOR PLAYING
OKAY!
MARI, IT IS TIME TO HEAD HOME..
I WANT TO GO TO THE SAME UNIVERSITY!
I WANT TO GO TO THE SAME PLACE AS YOU!!
I HAVE ALREADY DECIDED WHICH UNIVERSITY I'M GOING TO
WE WILL BE TOGE-THER FOR -EVER
I don't want to leave you
MARI

W UNIVERSITY
Forever..

Mari? Long time no see! What is it?
ARE YOU FREE NOW?
Sorry, I'm about to go out now.
-disconnect-
This is Naoko,
but I am away...
SOMEONE PLEASE COME AND SAVE ME...
I DON'T KNOW WHAT I SHOULD DO...
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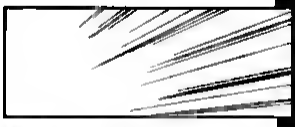
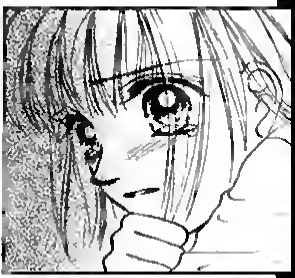
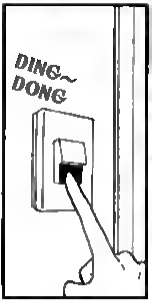




Someone ...!



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SUGA NATSUKI

SHE IS A STUDENT I'M TUTORING!
NATSUKI, WHO IS IT?
MARI?
AH
COMING
HEY YOU GUYS
HEY
HUH?
SHE'S CUTE!
COME ON IN!
I'M SORRY
AH IT'S ALRIGHT
SHE IS STILL UNDERAGE SO DON'T LET HER TOUCH ALCOHOLIC DRINKS!
NATSUKI, DON'T BE SO SERIOUS!
IT IS GETTING BORING WITH ONLY GUYS AROUND HERE!

I GOT GOOD GRADES FOR THE LAST DEMO TEST AND I WANTED TO TELL YOU ABOUT IT.
YES
IS THERE SOMETHING YOU WANT TO SPEAK TO ME ABOUT?
IT MUST BE LOVE!
SO GOOD! I'M SO JEALOUS!
AH...
WE HAVE HEARD FROM NATSUKI ABOUT YOU.
YOU'RE TAKING THE EXAM AGAIN FOR YOUR BOYFRIEND RIGHT?
WHICH MEANS THAT YOUR BOYFRIEND IS WAITING FOR YOU THERE HUH?
WOW THAT IS A FAMOUS UNIVERSITY! ARE YOU SURE THAT YOU ARE REALLY ENOUGH?
IF THAT IS THE CASE, STUDYING WILL NOT BE THAT TOUGH AFTER ALL!
THAT IS NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS
WHICH UNIVERSITY IS YOUR BOYFRIEND IN?
W UNI-VERSITY

YOU ARE RIGHT!

SNORE SNORE
HEY! TAKE HIM AWAY TOO!
WE SHOULD BE GOING THEN.
NATSUKI! WE WILL LEAVE HIM TO YOUR CARE!
MARI, LET'S GO.
WE WE
OUR BUS STOP IS AT THAT SIDE
Bye-bye!

I don't have anything at all..
I look like such a fool ..
What am I doing?

I really don't know what I should do now ...
I can't take it anymore ...

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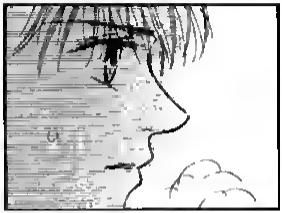

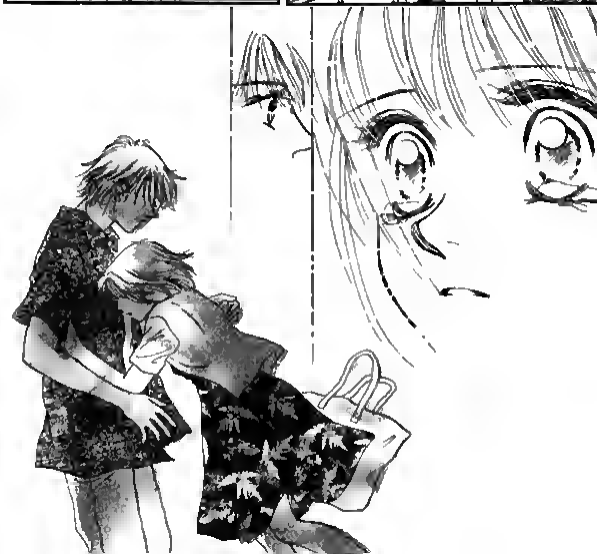

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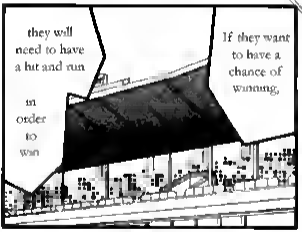
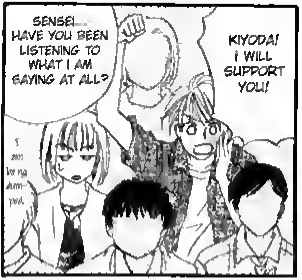

they will need to have a hit and run
in order to win
If they want to have a chance of winning,


SENSEI... HAVE YOU BEEN LISTENING TO WHAT I AM SAYING AT ALL?
KIYODA! I WILL SUPPORT YOU!

Nice ball!
STRIKE!
Can number 4 Kiyoda make the fateful hit and win the game?

KIYODA IS AN IDIOT!
HOW CAN HE BE LIKE THIS !?
SEN... SENSEI?
MARI YOU CAN TRY SHOUTING TOO!
OH...
STUPID KIYODA!
THANKS A LOT, SENSEI... I FEEL MUCH BETTER NOW.

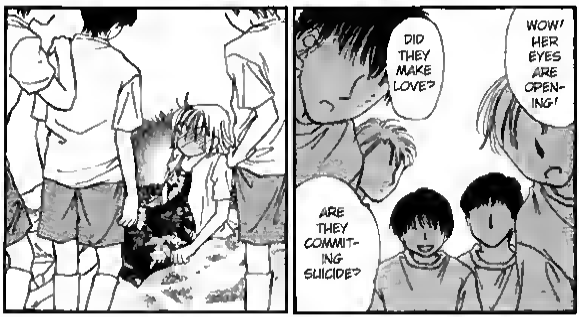
OCEAN
I WANT TO SEE THE OCEAN
Although it is already night time.
DO YOU FEEL LIKE GOING ANYWHERE? LET ME ACCOMPANY YOU FOR TODAY.
I want to go to the beach I went to last year
I'M SO TIRED !!!
HOW CAN YOU RUN OUT OF FUEL AT A PLACE LIKE THIS !?
SORRY... WE'LL BE AT THE BEACH SOON.
THE MOON IS VERY BEAUTIFUL TONIGHT.
DON'T THINK THAT I WILL FORGIVE YOU BY SAYING THIS!

YOU MUST BE REALLY TIRED.
I'M REALLY SORRY FOR MAKING YOU PUSH THE MOTORBIKE ALL THE WAY HERE.
OH WELL, MAYBE I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO WANTS TO SEE IT...
YAY! THE OCEAN !!
WHEN KIYOSHI AND I CAME HERE LAST YEAR,
I WANTED TO GO TO THE SAME UNIVERSITY AS HIM.
KIYOSHI ALSO TOLD ME
THAT HE WANTED TO BE WITH ME FOREVER
AND I NO LONGER BELIEVE IN THE EXISTENCE OF ETERNAL LOVE...
BUT THE HEARTS OF HUMANS ARE TOO UNPREDICTABLE...

MARI, WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "ETERNITY" ?
ETER-NITY...
THIS
eternity. for a long time. timeless. forever
HUH ...?
I DON'T MEAN THIS!
I Mean Heat!
"EVERY-TIME I THINK OF YOU, THAT'S WHEN I FEEL ETERNITY"

I REALLY LIKE THIS POEM.
ALTHOUGH I DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT POEMS,
NO, I DON'T
DO YOU KNOW THIS POEM?
ETERNITY IS SOMETHING THAT YOUR HEART NEEDS TO FEEL.
TO FEEL ?
THAT IS NOT SOMETHING WHICH IS MEANINGLESS.
I FEEL THAT THAT IS REAL LOVE
LAST SUMMER YOU REALLY FELT ETERNITY WHEN YOU WERE HERE WITH KIYOSHI

"Every time I think of you, that is when I feel eternity."
I MAY ALSO FALL IN LOVE WITH THAT POEM TOO
I fall asleep some-how...


WOW! HER EYES ARE OPEN-ING!
DID THEY MAKE LOVE?
ARE THEY COMMIT-ING SUICIDE?

SEN... SENSEI!
WAKE UP!
ACHOO
I'M SORRY FOR MAKING YOU ACCOMPANY ME ALL NIGHT...
NO... DON'T WORRY
I'M REALLY SORRY, BUT I HAD FUN LAST NIGHT...
AH— IT'S NOTHING SPECIAL...
I LIKE YOU!

Huh?
MARI,
NATSUKI-SENSEI IS HERE
Wah... Ever since that day whenever I think of meeting Sensei, I get really nervous
OH... OKAY.
Luckily he is still the same as before.
OKAY, LET US BEGIN NOW!
WHERE DID THE CRAM CLASSES STOP AT? DID YOU UNDER-STAND THE MATERIAL COVERED?
HI!

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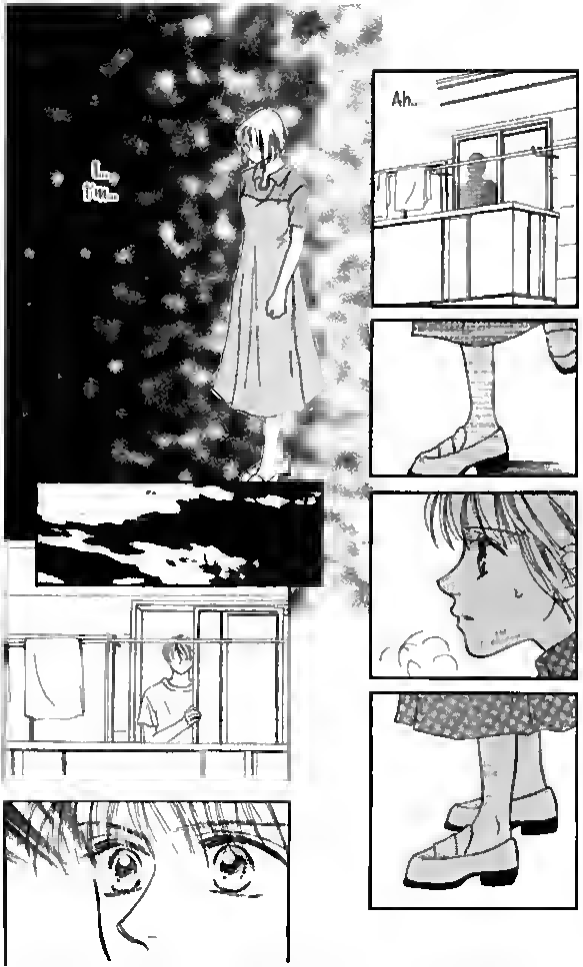
NOTHING
JUST JOKING

Can we meet up tomorrow?
Mari?
I HAVE BEEN CONST-ANTLY THINKING ABOUT YOU
SINCE THAT DAY
CAN WE START ALL OVER AGAIN?
I REALLY LIKE YOU
This is weird, I'm feeling very calm right now
I REGRET SAYING THINGS LIKE LAST TIME

I PRO-MISE
MARI WILL BE THE ONLY GIRL FOR ME FROM NOW ON
I cannot believe in him again.
He cried
I promise.
I don't have any special feelings when he embraces me anymore.

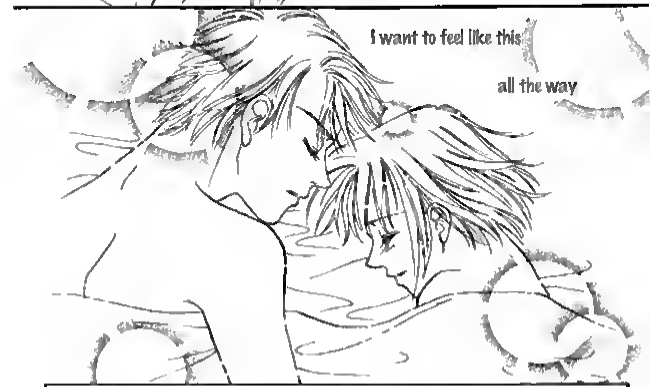
BYE BYE !
I want to see sensei.
See him.


I... I'm...
Ah...

SENSEI ...
SOME-THING HAPP-ENED?
MARI!
WHAT'S WRONG?
HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN STAND-ING THERE!?
I'M SO SCARED ...
I USED TO LIKE KIYOSHI A LOT...
I EVEN WANTED TO STUDY AT THE SAME UNIVERSITY WITH HIM SO THAT WE CAN BE TOGETHER.
BUT I DON'T HAVE THE SPECIAL FEELINGS ANYMORE
WHEN HE EMBRACES ME I JUST WHICH IS WHY I'M AFRAID THAT MY HEART WILL ALSO CHANGE ONE DAY AND YOU...
I'm so afraid...
The more I think of it the more numb I feel with my legs.
MARI.

WHAT YOUR HEART IS THINKING OF RIGHT NOW
I DON'T NEED ANY PROMISE
I ONLY WANT TO KNOW ...

I LIKE YOU ...
The feeling of liking you, the feeling of loving you,
I can't control it at all.
So now, I just want to treasure my feeling for you...



Right now, I can feel eternity.

-End of Eternal Heart♥

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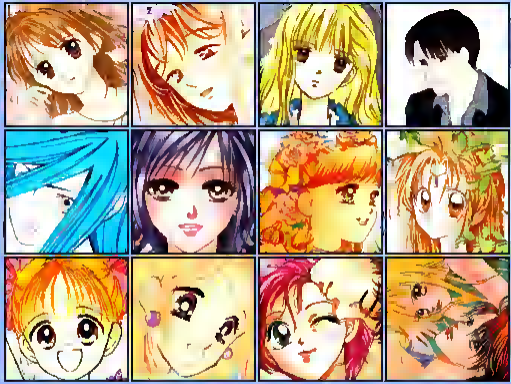
Yes, that's right - this is the final story from Kimi no Tonari de Nemuritai a.k.a Wish to Lie Beside You! Thank you very much for reading this project, and we hope you've enjoyed Yuu Nagisa's beautiful artwork. We will definitely try to bring you more of her work in the near future, please look forward to it =)
Janice and ED Scanlating Crew
YAY! HERE COMES THE END OF ANOTHER PROJECT!


Happy Anniversary, Endless Dimension!

Wow, we finished another project! Hurray!

Yet it isn't the time to party yet...

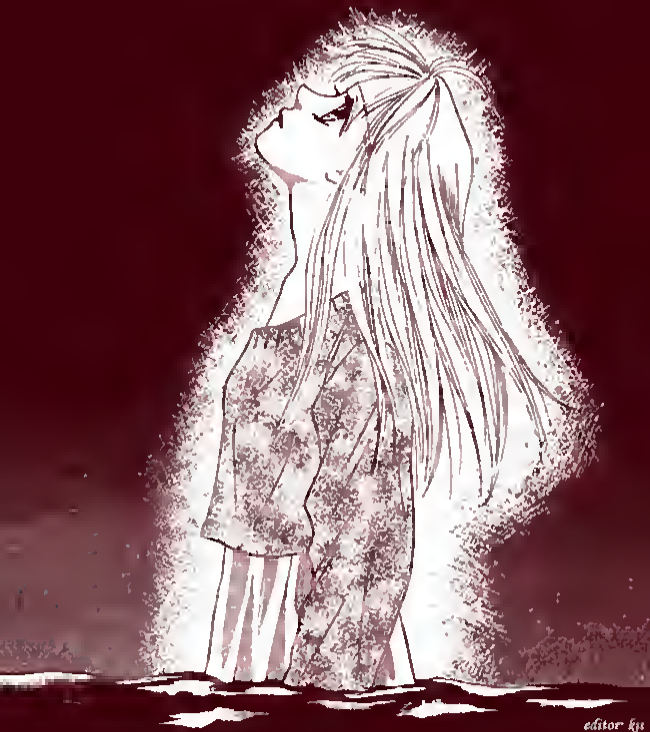
HEY THERE! HOW DID YOU LIKE THIS PROJECT? EVERY TIME WE FINISH SCANLATING A MANGA, WE'D LIKE TO KNOW HOW YOU LIKED THE WORK! IF YOU'D TAKE A FEW MINUTES AND TELL US...

"HOW DID YOU THINK OF THE STORYLINE?"
"DID YOU LIKE THE ART STYLE OF THIS MANGA?"
"WOULD YOU LIKE US TO DO MORE PROJECTS FROM THE SAME MANGAKA IN THE FUTURE?"
>>AND ETC...<<

THIS WILL GREATLY HELP US WITH OUR FUTURE PLANS, AND PLEASE FEEL FREE TO LEAVE YOUR FOOTSTEPS AT OUR SITE OR AT OUR FORUM.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

From Janice and the ED scanlating crew!

A Night With A Moon



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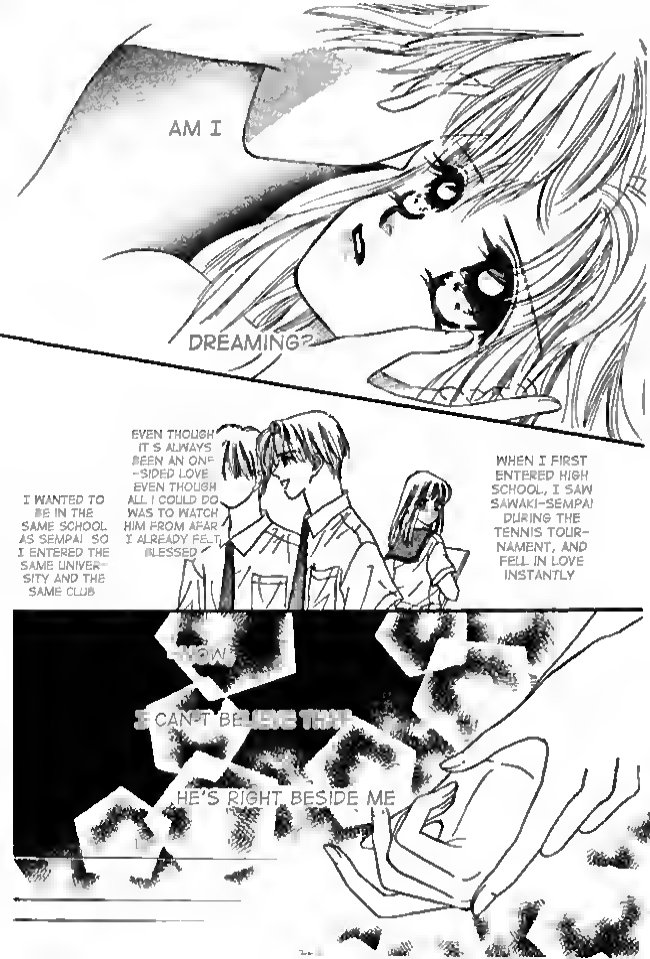
SAWAKI'S PARENTS ARE RICH LUCKY!
IT'S SO BIG
WAH! SAWAKI-SEMPAI LIVES ALL BY HIMSELF?
COME ON IN!
WHAT'S WRONG, HARUKA? COME IN!
RIGHT- RIGHT!
JUST TENNIS?
THE FACE TOO!
GIVE IT UP
YOUR TENNIS SKILL WILL NEVER BEAT SAWAKI!
JUST STOP TALKING, HARADA.
DAMN IT, SAWAKI! NEXT TIME I'LL BEAT YOU FOR SURE!
CHEERS!

SFX: HEART BEAT
BECAUSE I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO DON'T KNOW HOW TO PLAY
AND ALWAYS ATTENDING THE CLUB, DIDN'T MISS ANY SESSION AT ALL.
BUT HARUKA SHOULD BE THE ONE WHO IMPROVED THE MOST
DOKI-
YOU GUYS!
A HA HA HA HA
A HA HA HA
SFX: EMPTYING THE CAN
AL-RIGHT
DO DA
DO DA
HEY! KAWAI! DON'T DRINK SO LITTLE!
GURU~
I NEVER THOUGH I COULD BE IN SAWAKI-SEMPAI'S ROOM
THANK GOODNESS I WENT TO THE CLUB EVERYDAY
SFX: DRINKING
BECAUSE I CAN BE IN SEMPAI'S ROOM, AND SEMPAI IS RIGHT BESIDE ME, TALKING TO ME
I FEEL SO HAPPY
I COULD ONLY WATCH HIM BEFORE
WOAH! HARADA-SEMPAI! HARUKA CAN'T DRINK!
HARUKA, ARE YOU ALRIGHT!? DRINKING THAT MUCH!
Hm Hm.
HICCUP

YOU'RE AWAKE?
HN ...
KA-CHA
KA-CHA
YOU DRANK TOO MUCH AND FELL A-SLEEP. DOES YOUR HEAD STILL HURT?
N- NO WAY!
I... I?
GA
BA
SFX: SLIP
SFX: GETTING UP
TSURUTSU
GASHAN
I'LL HELP TOO.
I LED SAWAKI-SEMPAI SEE THE UGLY SIDE OF ME!
S- SORRY.
KAA-
BUT YOU WERE ASLEEP, SO I DIDN'T WAKE YOU UP
THEY LEFT AROUND 7 O CLOCK TO DRIVE AROUND
UM... WHERE ARE THE OTHERS?
SFX: BLUSHING

I'M ALRIGHT THAT... CUP... SORRY
ARE YOU OK? HERE, LET ME TAKE A LOOK
OUCH!
AH~ WHAT SHOULD I DO?
SORRY!
HO~
HOW CUTE.
NO-TICED ME?...
SEMPAI
YOU OFTEN COME TO WATCH ME PRACTICING TENNIS DURING HIGH SCHOOL YEARS, RIGHT?


AM I
DREAMING?
WHEN I FIRST ENTERED HIGH SCHOOL, I SAW SAWAKI-SEMPAI DURING THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT, AND FELL IN LOVE INSTANTLY
EVEN THOUGH IT'S ALWAYS BEEN AN ONE-SIDED LOVE EVEN THOUGH ALL I COULD DO WAS TO WATCH HIM FROM AFAR I ALREADY FELT BLESSED
I WANTED TO BE IN THE SAME SCHOOL AS SEMPAI SO I ENTERED THE SAME UNIVERSITY AND THE SAME CLUB
NOW
I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS
HE'S RIGHT BESIDE ME

WHERE'S SEMPAI?
BINGO-N
BA-NN
I DON'T KNOW HOW I SHOULD FACE SEMPAI WHEN I SEE HIM NEXT TIME
BUT I DON'T WANT TO MISS THE LAST BUS TOO
LEAVING WITHOUT TELLING IS NOT POLITE
DIDN'T YOU JUST BREAK UP WITH THE GIRL FROM S HIGH SCHOOL?
A NEW GIRLFRIEND ALREADY?
SEMPAI?
SORRY
I THOUGHT I COULD STAY AT YOUR PLACE
EVEN IF IT IS A GIRL THERE'S NOTHING YOU CAN DO

I KIND OF FEEL SORRY FOR HER, SO I JUST ANSWERED HER ONCE.
PRETTY OBVIOUS THAT SHE LIKES ME.
NAH. SHE'S BEEN AN-NOYING ME EVER SINCE HIGH SCHOOL.
GATAN GATAN
GATAN
GATAN
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GATAN
SFX: TRAIN

TM200S
GATAN
GI-
SHI
DISGUSTING...
HUFF
HUFF
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ZA
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CANS
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M200S

SEX TOUCHES WATER
OUCH
...
PICHAN
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"WASH"
"WASH"
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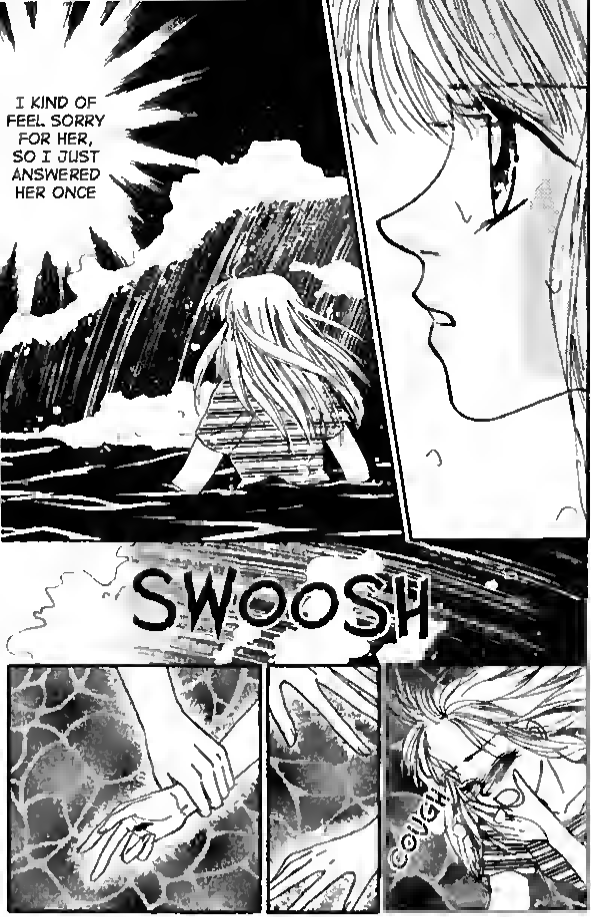
SPLASH
"PRETTY OBVIOUS THAT SHE LIKES ME"
"NAH, SHE'S BEEN ANNOY-ING ME SINCE HIGH SCHOOL"


I KIND OF FEEL SORRY FOR HER, SO I JUST ANSWERED HER ONCE
SWOOSH
COUGH

SPLASH
THERE'S A
MOON TONIGHT
SO IF YOU'RE GOING TO COMMIT SUICIDE, GO SOMEWHERE ELSE OK?
I SURF HERE DURING SUMMER
P.S.H
COUGH!
COUGH!

I WILL NOT COMMIT SUICIDE
HEHE, MISTAKEN FOR SUICIDE
HEH
SUICIDE?
I WILL NOT COMMIT SUICIDE FOR THIS!
I CAN ONLY SEE A FIELD OF DARK SKY ALONG WITH THE DARK OCEAN.
IN JUST A SECOND, THE MOON WAS COVERED BY THE CLOUDS.

GET! HE TOWE O I CAME HERE.
BUT I A STOO DARK! THEN I DIDN'T REALLY SEE HIS FACE... WHAT SHOULD I DO?
I WONDER WHEN HE'S GOING TO BE HERE
SFX PULL
GON
GO!
THAT!
AH! THAT SPORTS BAG!
SAME AS THAT PERSON YESTERDAY
ENOA
KYA--
!!
S-- SOR- RY--
YIKES!

NAGASE AKIRA!
HEIGHT 189 CM
HEIGHT 155 CM
HN? HAVE I SEEN HIM SOMEWHERE BEFORE?
WAH!
HE SENT MANY TO THE HOSPITAL. ALL THE RUMORS ABOUT HIM ARE BAD
HE LIKES TO FIGHT NO MATTER WHO IT MIGHT BE
A VICIOUS GUY AND DOESN'T TALK
IT CAN'T BE HIM WHO SAVED ME LAST NIGHT RIGHT?
S... SORRY!
I DON'T HAVE TO PANIC! HE PROBABLY DON'T KNOW ME
ALTHOLIGH WE'RE IN THE SAME GRADE, I'VE NEVER BEEN IN THE SAME CLASS AS HIM, NOR EVEN TALK TO HIM
AH

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WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE FOR 2 HOURS? WANT TO JUMP IN AGAIN?
UH OH! I SAID HIS NAME
AH!
N...NO! NAGASE!
FOUND ANY OTHER WAYS OF SUICIDE?
AH... THANK YOU YOUR TOWEL.
SO LAST NIGHT WAS HIM
LAST NIGHT WASN'T SUICIDE
NAGASE ACTUALLY KNOWS ME!
WHAT? KAWAI HARUKA ?
AH!
I M SO STUPID WHAT IF NAGASE ASKS ME HOW? HOW SHOULD I ANSWER?
OH NO!

ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
OH
...
SORRY I BET-TER NOT
T-THANK YOU
WANT TO WEAR IT?
ACHOO!
NO NO, I DIDN'T MEAN IT THAT WAY
WHAT IS IT? DISGUSTED BY DIRTY THINGS?
ZA
REMIN-DED ME ABOUT SEMPAI
THE WARMTH OF NA-GASE'S JACKET
DISGUSTING!

IS HE ANGRY?
SU
THE DIRTY THING IS ...
ME ...
BEING ANGRY IS NOTHING UNUSUAL.
WHAT?
BOSHI
CATCH!
KA-WAI!
SFX: CATCH
HOT COFFEE
SUPER-BLEND

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
OH REALLY.
HERE EVERYDAY AT THE SAME TIME
TAKING A WALK
JUST PRACTICING, BECAUSE I DON'T LIKE TO FIGHT
YOU DO BOXING?
I'M PRACTICING BOXING
GYM?
I'M GOING TO THE GYM.
I TOLD THEM I DO MY WORKOUTS SOMEWHERE ELSE, BUT THEY DON'T BELIEVE ME, SO THEY JUST KEEP ON ASKING AROUND SO I'LL SHOW THEM.
AT THE UNIVERSITY, THE BOXING CLUB JUST WON'T STOP BUGGING ME
AND HAVING THAT KIND OF GAZE TOO
IT SUITS YOU!
WITH THAT BODY OF YOURS
BUT IT RUMORED HE LIKED TO FIGHT

SU
NAGISE IS DIFFERENT FROM MY IMPRESSION...
YEAH, I GREW UP BESIDE THE SEA.
BUT YOU SAID YOU SURF.
AFTER I WENT, IT FELT KIND OF NICE. GET TO EXERCISE AT THE SAME TIME.
LATE...?
OH- LATER!
HN. MAYBE
YOU'RE GOING TO TAKE A WALK OVER HERE TOMORROW, TOO?
ZA
EH?
"WATCH MOON"? SOME ONE'S NAME?
WATCH MOON.
IT'S A FULL MOON!

THAT'S BECAUSE I WAS IN THE ASTRONOMY CLUB DURING MIDDLE SCHOOL
OH. I DIDN'T KNOW NAGASE YOU KNOW A LOT!
YOU KNOW THAT FULL MOON CAN ALSO BE CALLED WATCH MOON?
TENNIS, SURFING, AND BOXING, I CAN UNDERSTAND BUT ASTRONOMY HARD TO IMAGINE
YOU HAVE LOTS OF INTERESTS.
WHAT IS IT?
...WHAT?
IT'S GETTING HARDER FOR ME TO UNDERSTAND THIS GUY...
HIS CARELESS ATTITUDE, AND HIS CARELESS WAY OF TALKING,
HOW HE'S OFTEN QUIET THAN BEING LOUD...
ONCE MORE
AND MORE
ZA
ZA
ZA
JUST HEAR THE SOUND OF WAVES

Tateishi Gym
Open
9:00 AM - 10:00
Close
Monday
Thursday
AH? CLOSED ON MONDAYS AND THURSDAY
TODAY'S THURSDAY
SHOULD BE HERE HE'S HERE EVERYDAY
AMI I WANTED TO CHECK IT OUT TOO
UM? NOT OPEN TODAY.
EH? BUT HE WAS BY THE OCEAN LAST MONDAY
AH!
"COMING TOMORROW?"
SFX STEP
SAKU
WHAT!
HO HO
HO HO
HO HO
YEAH.
WENT TO THE GYM AGAIN TODAY?

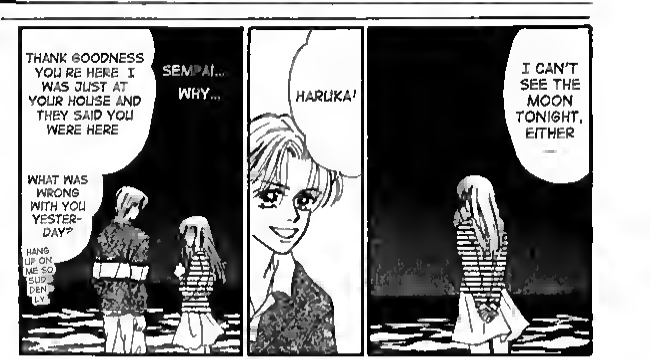
TODAY'S A MONDAY. THE GYM IS CLOSED. HE PROBABLY WON'T BE THERE!
IT'S POURING
ZAA
ZAA
!
RING RING
SEX HEARTBEAT
SEMPAI
DOKU
HARUKA? THIS IS SAWAKI.
HELLO? HELLO?
HELLO? ARE YOU LISTENING?
What's wrong with you lately? Not coming to the club at all. Everyone's worried about you.
NO...
I WANT TO TELL YOU SOMETHING TOMORROW ...
NO...

ZAA
KA-CHACK
HAA
BA

HAA
HAA
THANKS
FOR WHAT?
ZAN
BECAUSE YOU'RE HERE.
NOT REA-LLY
BUT TODAY THE GYM'S CLOSED
WALKING IS ONE OF MY HABITS
PCHAH
HA HA HA!

WHY IS IT THAT DURING THE DAY THE OCEAN IS BEAUTIFUL, YET WHEN NIGHT COMES, IT'S SO SCARY?
SEEMS LIKE YOU'LL GET SUCK UP INTO THE DARKNESS
THAT'S HOW I FEEL RIGHT NOW... TOO
I USED TO LIKE A SEMPAI FOR A LONG TIME...
JUST WHEN I THOUGHT HE FINALLY UNDERSTOOD MY FEELINGS, I GOT IT ALL WRONG
MY HEART RIGHT NOW IS LIKE THE SUN THAT IS TRAPPED IN THE DARKNESS...
THAT DAY, I DIDN'T WANT TO COMMIT SUICIDE
I JUST WANTED TO WASH MYSELF FROM
THAT FEELING OF HIS TOUCH...
ALONG WITH THE THREE YEARS WORTH OF FEELINGS I WANTED TO WASH THEM AWAY...
WHEN THE SUN SETS, IT WON'T BE COMPLETELY DARK. THERE'S ALWAYS THE MOON, LIGHTING THE NIGHT...
ALTHOUGH YOU CAN'T SEE IT WHEN IT'S COVERED BY THE CLOUDS
EVEN IF THE SUN'S GONE, THERE'S ALWAYS THE MOON.

THE MOON, LIGHTING THE NIGHT ...
BUT ONE DAY, THE MOON WILL SHINE ON YOU.


THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE HERE! I WAS JUST AT YOUR HOUSE AND THEY SAID YOU WERE HERE
SEMPAI...
WHY...
WHAT WAS WRONG WITH YOU YESTERDAY?
HANG UP ON ME SO SUDDENLY
HARUKA!
I CAN'T SEE THE MOON TONIGHT, EITHER

THERE'S A GATHERING AT MY HOUSE. I HAVE THE CAR. YOU CAN COME ALONG!
BIKU
AH...
NO...!
BA
-M

ISN'T THERE AN EXAMINATION FOR YOUR BOXING CERTIFICATE?
AREN'T YOU NOT ALLOWED TO FIGHT?
WHY DID YOU HIT ME?
grab
YOU ARE NAGASE?
I DON'T HAVE THE TIME FOR PEOPLE LIKE YOU!
WEIRDO!
BA
BOXING...?
THERE'S ALWAYS EXCEPTION
I THOUGHT YOU DON'T LIKE TO FIGHT
PU!
IT'S NOTHING, REALLY. I JUST REALLY WANTED TO HIT HIM
THANK YOU. I FEEL BETTER
I WAS JUST LYING
EXAMINATION
HO

SFX: SPLASH
IT'S OK! NAGASE!
PASHA
SFX: FLIES AWAY
HIRA
AH!
SFX: SPLASH
PASA
HOLD ON A MINUTE, THERE'S MUD ON YOUR SHIRT.
WHERE SHE'S TOUCHED YOU
SFX: GRAB
GUI
YOU REALLY LIKE TO GET YOURSELF WET
SFX: SPLASH
BASHAN
WAH!

I SEE THE MOON.
NOW, A LIGHT HAS STARTED TO SHINE ON ME IN THIS SEMI-DARKNESS.
I'VE FOUND MY MOON.
<END>

Endless
Summer
Evolution
Tree

Wow, we finished another project! Hurray!

Yet it isn't the time to party yet...

HEY THERE! HOW DID YOU LIKE THIS PROJECT? EVERY TIME WE FINISH SCANLATING A MANGA, WE'D LIKE TO KNOW HOW YOU LIKED THE WORK! IF YOU'D TAKE A FEW MINUTES AND TELL US...

"HOW DID YOU THINK OF THE STORYLINE?"
"DID YOU LIKE THE ART STYLE OF THIS MANGA?"
"WOULD YOU LIKE US TO DO MORE PROJECTS FROM THE SAME MANGAKA IN THE FUTURE?"
>>AND ETC...<<

THIS WILL GREATLY HELP US WITH OUR FUTURE PLANS, AND PLEASE FEEL FREE TO LEAVE YOUR FOOTSTEPS AT OUR SITE OR AT OUR FORUM.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

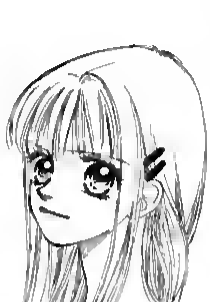
From Janice and the ED scanlating crew!

Author's Message

Hello all! This is Arina Tanemura.
Thank you for your support till now.
Thank you so so much!

Wish to Be Beside You

I've finished this volume in a couple of months. Actually in last year (1997). I've rented a room specially for manga work. And that is where I got the idea of this story from. But I've never lived in that rented room myself other than call it in the caretakers. I've never gone to that room and work alone because I always worked at home. (So it was really a waste of money and effort) The main character Kazuki is a girl with a strong personality and she gives people the first impression that she is a proud person. Many readers thought that Kazuki's character is based on my own personality and that's why I've had so many people telling me that "How come you're so different from what I've imagined

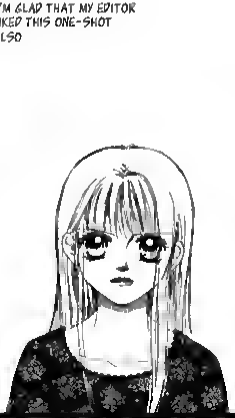


"ETERNAL HEART"

I'VE MADE UP THE ENTIRE PLOT FOR THIS STORY. I REALLY LIKED MY OWN IDEA, YET I HAD A LOT OF TROUBLE WHILE WORKING ON THIS ONE-SHOT. THAT'S WHEN I FOUND THE POEM COLLECTION OF TAKAMURA KOUTAROU. I'VE USED ONE POEM FROM THE COLLECTION FOR THIS MANGA, CALLED "US". IT IS A VERY LONG POEM, BUT I'VE ONLY USED TWO LINES FROM IT. I'M NOT TOO INTERESTED IN POEMS AND STUFF, BUT THANKS TO "US", I WAS ABLE TO COMPLETE MY WORK, AND I'M GLAD THAT MY EDITOR LIKED THIS ONE-SHOT ALSO.

"A NIGHT WITH A MOON"

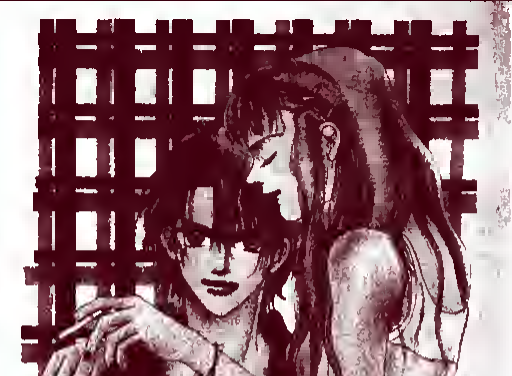
I LIKED THIS TITLE TOO. THE CONTENTS WERE BASICALLY THOUGHT UP IN MY HEAD SINCE THE BEGINNING, AND IT WAS EVEN EASIER TO DRAW AFTER I'D WRITTEN DOWN THE DETAILED PLOT. (WHICH IS VERY RARE BECAUSE IT'S ALWAYS VERY HARD FOR ME TO THINK OF GOOD PLOTS.) BECAUSE I LIVE FAR FROM THE OCEAN, I OFTEN GO TO SHOUNAN* TO SEE THE OCEAN AT NIGHT WHEN I FEEL LIKE IT.



About the Mails

Recently, I've started receiving more and more mail from readers who have my complete work collection. I'm so happy and I'm so grateful of everything! And oh, there were few readers who mentioned the decreasing free-talk spaces in the recent volumes. Since we have a limited amount of pages for each chapter, all decided by our editors, we usually don't have enough space for everything we want to write down. I'm so sorry! And see, we have 4 pages for you this time!

Let's review my previous works for a bit (sorry if you haven't read them all and don't understand what I'm talking about). In my one-volume work "Summer Kids", the most popular one-shot was "Blue Hearts". Actually, I didn't plan to put "Blue Hearts" into that volume in the beginning because I wasn't confident about it, and I was so surprised that so many readers liked it! But that's great, I'm glad! And for "Valleyball Story". I've got many mails from readers who used to be in valleyball teams. There's so much to talk about, so I'll stop here for today. I'm so grateful of all of your kind support! And if you've got any comments or requests for my work, feel free to mail me any time - I'd be happy to read them. I might reply a little slow, but I'm trying to reply every mail =)



When I was working on 'Wish to Lie Beside You', my editor, who has been with me for 7 years, has retired. Even though I was always teased and made fun of by him, he's really a heart-warming friend who'd pull me up whenever I'm in the depth of depression. I really appreciate everything he's done for me, and I really enjoyed working with you. Thank you so much!

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Ariwa Nagisa